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Each person, as an individual, is the most important thing. Following the crowd was long ago given up by many as a fad. People are more interested in developing their own character. An example of individualism was first initiated by our forefathers. By disagreeing with someone consid-

ered more important than themselves, they displayed courage. Each person was faced with a decision, not only whether to be an individual but whether to stay with the majority. This causes us to realize why our anniversary is called Independence Day.





Though people's everyday problems and decisions may not seem as important or drastic as these events, they are important to the individual. The solution of situations are up to the individual to work out. The people in the seventeen hundreds may not have realized how impor-

tant their decisions would be or the significance they would hold. All this is why we believe: "If a man does not keep pace with his companions, perhaps it is because he hears a different drummer. Let him step to the music he hears, however measured or far away." (Thoreau)





Companions and good times are a large part of our daily lives. Students attend the many extra-curricular activities at N.H.S. almost as much as they do classes. Dances, parties, banquets, plays, games; all these things are attended and enjoyed by the student body. With the help of sponsors it is the individuals who make these things possible by organizing, creating, attending, and in the end dismantling. It may seem futile to some to make such preparations, only to have to take them down the next day, but the memories make it all worthwhile.

All of these events help to shape each individual's character. The fact that we can retain our individualism and share companionship is why student life at Northfield is so memorable.

NO COMPLAINTIONS



Bicentennial is a fitting theme

Excitement and tension filled the air, a drumroll was given until finally the long-awaited moment arrived; the naming of the 1975-76 Homecoming queen. Much cheering and screaming was heard when the Senior candidate Pat Meston was named and crowned. Her court consisted of Junior Missy Mast, Sophomore Liz Reed, and Freshman Tammy Yentes. Senior football player Randy Good was given the honor of King. Other candidates were: Junior Kevin Baer, Sophomore Tony Tyner, and Freshman Nathan Vrooman.

With Bicentennial as the Homecoming theme each class outdid themselves in creating imaginative floats, which made it a hard choice for the judges. The Junior class took first place with "We Declare a Victory." The Freshmen sewed up second place with Betsy Ross. The Seniors claimed third with the Liberty Bell, "Ring up a Victory," and Sophomores sunk a fourth place with the Boston Tea Party.

"We Declare a Victory" was a fitting title as the mighty Norse beat North Miami 39-16 for the first Homecoming victory in seven years.

1. The Norsemen charge in, ready to beat North Miami. 2. Senior candidate, Pat Meston, sits on her class float, "Ring Up a Victory." 3. Everyone mobs around the new queen in excitement after the coronation. 4. Junior Missy Mast smiles as she sits on the winning float.





5. Suspense ended as Pat Meston was crowned 1975-76 Homecoming queen. 6. The band marches out for the Homecoming half-time show. 7. King, Senior Randy Good, congratulates the new queen. 8. Freshman candidate Tammy Yentes kept Betsy Ross company on the second place float. 9. At the bow of the Sophomore float is queen candidate Liz Reed. 10. Kris Shaler, 1974-75 Homecoming queen, prepares to step down from her throne. 11. The band plays the school song for the pre-game show.

Simply Simon Simply Super

As one saw the numerous black and white figures they may have wondered if they were watching a black and white movie; actually it was the opening scene to *Simply Simon*. This play was compiled of a mixture of works by Neil Simon, with dashes of Durnbaugh wit for narration. First came "The Sneeze," a skit about a man who sneezed on a superior officer and made a mess out of the situation. "The Prisoner of Second Avenue" stole the audiences' hearts next, portraying the effects of a robbery on a New York couple. With many hilarious antics, such as throwing spaghetti against the kitchen wall, "The Odd Couple" was a smash, completing the first act.

Starting the Second act was "Surgery," which was almost too real to be funny, as it was about an inexperienced dentist. "Plaza Suite" topped the show off, depicting a bride with the wedding day jitters, who locked herself in the bathroom.

The scenes were tied together with colorful musical numbers. The evening with Neil Simon was quite successful.



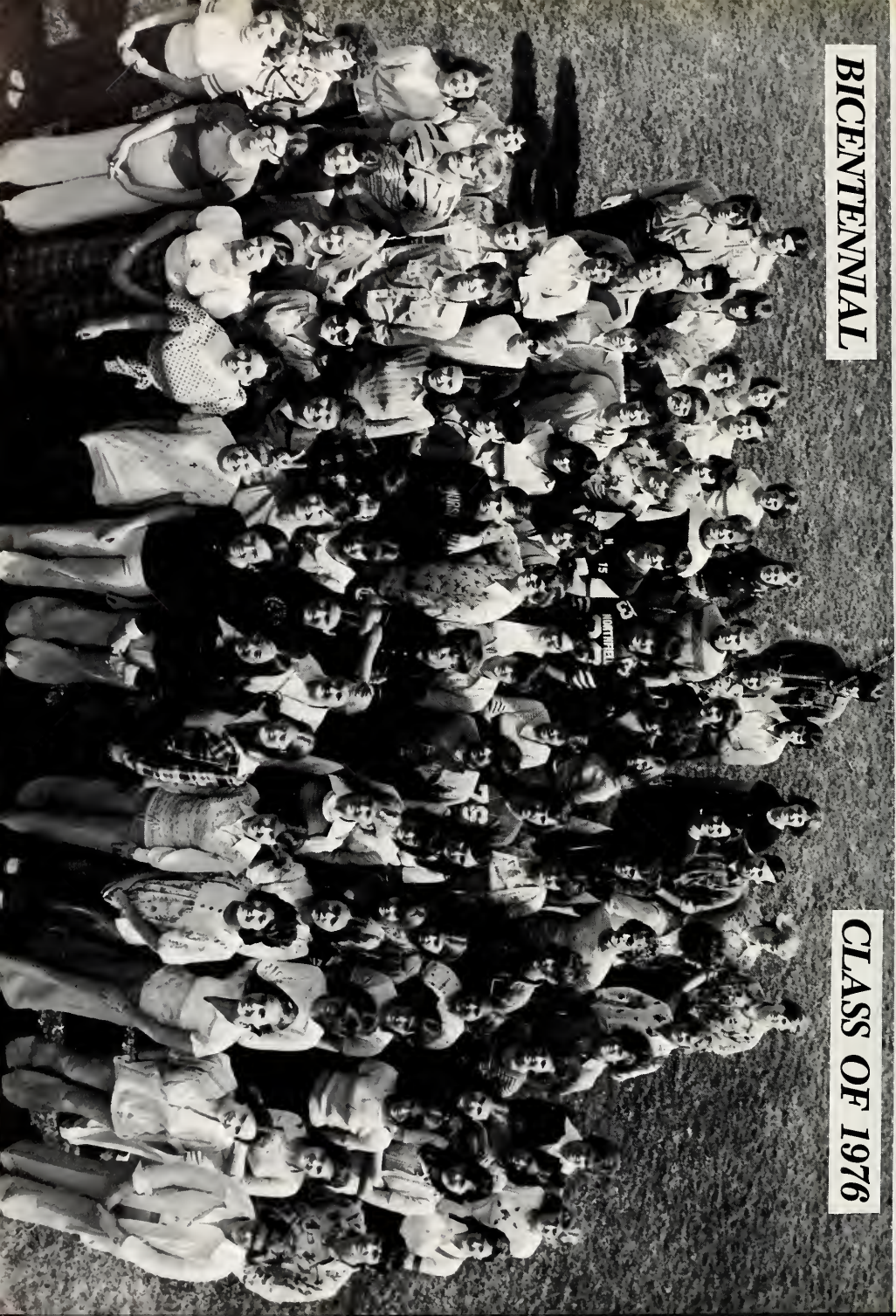


1. Portraying Neil Simon, Randy Lewis explains one of his stories to the audience. 2. The crew takes a moment of relaxation after a lot of hard work for the play. 3. Randy Lewis, Jim Johnson, Caroline Knezevich, and Kathy Dyson are disgusted by Dave Kerner's sneeze in "The Sneeze." 4. The victims of a robbery, Lee Ann Morrison and Mike Skaggs console each other in "Prisoner of Second Avenue." 5. Oscar (Dan Gillespie) gives Felix (Brad Baber) a helping hand in packing his suitcase. 6. The girls swoon over the guys in the 50's style production number, "Big Spender." 7. Les Snyder appears reluctant as James Chowning advances with his tools, in "Surgery." 8. Anxious parents, Iris Tackett and Randy Lewis listen into the bathroom for a clue from the frightened bride, Linda Dixon.



BICENTENNIAL

CLASS OF 1976



200 years: As we look back we learn to go forward



1. The treaty between the U.S. and the Miami Indians was held near the Paradise Springs Treaty Grounds in 1898. 2. Hanging Rock is a popular place in Lago, It was a coral reef which now looks out over the Walsh River. 3. The Dora Bridge was built in 1961-62 over Salamonte, it was to have been inundated by the Salamonte reservoir but was saved by funds raised by the public. 4. There was more difference than just 50 years between the 1929 graduating class of Roanoke and the 1976 Senior class at Northfield. 5. The 1976 generation has the opportunity to further themselves and our nation. 6. The Roanoke Covered Bridge was completed in 1877 and is well traveled today. It stands over the Ed River. 7. Abraham Lincoln's statue is situated in front of the Walsh Courthouse. The unveiling was held in 1932. 7. In 1776 Frances Slocum was kidnapped by her brothers in 1837. The cemetery is located off Brown Rd.



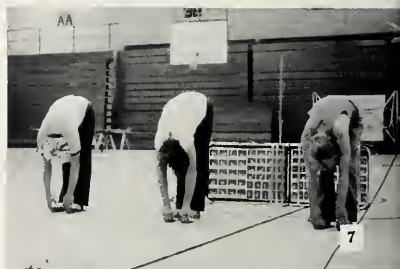
"Education is the chief defense of nations."

Musicians or magicians; dances and convos



Everybody loves a convo; whether they enjoy the content, variety, or just getting out of class. This year Northfield has hosted singers, bands, and demonstrations. Each has been different and entertaining. Unlike convos, dances are outside the school day. Many students attend the dances and there is a lot of planning and preparation put into each one. The Christmas dance which was semi-formal was looked forward to by many for quite a while. The Sweetheart dance was casual and held the week after Valentines. The Fifties dance, Homecoming dance and various sock-hops were other social gatherings held throughout the year.

1. This man's ingenuity captivated the Junior High. 2. Dimensions in Brass entertained with many varieties of music. 3. The chorus filled the gym with Christmas songs.



4. Faith Williams and her date sample food at the Sweetheart Dance. 5. Simplicity was simple but good. 6. Fuse inspired Dollie Patton to dance. 7. Jeff Loenhis, Steve Norman and Mark Siders practice yoga.



Food glorious food; lunch!

At 11:00 one may think there is a recurrence of the Gold Rush of '49; it is only the first lunch shift heading toward the cafeteria. The people eating second shift impatiently watch the clock while the last shift's stomachs growl loudly. The lunchroom is the center of friendship, fights, bad jokes, laughter, and occasionally eating. To many, lunchtime is the highlight of the day, with fun times; guessing what the food is, trading for favorites or dodging flying peas, Jello or cookies. It is truly an experience.

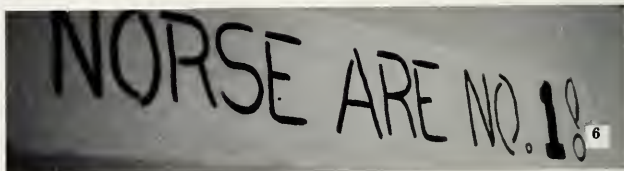
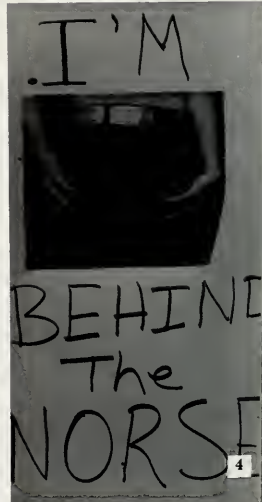
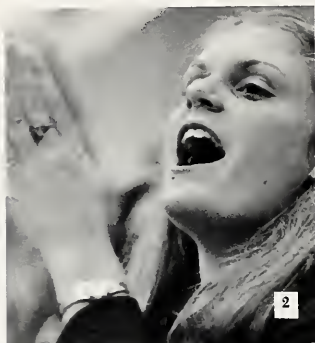
8. Mark Eiler opens his mouth, for once without his foot in it. 9. Everyday our taste buds are touched by the "Soybean Supremes."



10. The chomping of many jaws fill the cafeteria with noise. 11. The cafeteria offered free lunches but it only lasted two weeks. 12. Rick Treska and Bob Clark splash the hash.

We Got Spirit Yes We Do!

The cheerleaders and cheerblock are just a small part of Norse spirit. Many fans show up at the various sports cheering for the team and their efforts. Spirit days such as tie 'em up, sock 'em, and blue and grey day are popular and participated in by students and faculty. Spirit is shown by people huddling together during freezing football games, making signs and secret fans who bake and buy to boost their player's morale. The uniqueness of the sectional hall decorations is just part of N.H.S. Our spirit reflects our pride in Northfield so "everybody yell!"



1. The many moods of Sharon Metzger are revealed as she watches a game. 2. Cheerblock member Shelly Renbarger exercises her lungs while watching the basketball team. 3. Kelly

Merrick, one of our spirited rah rah's, jumps jubilantly for the Norse. 4. One of the many imaginative sectional posters is found on a hall wall. 5. It is a proven fact that not only

guys play sports and not only girls are cheerleaders. 6. The poster above the lockers says it like it is!



Hangouts

Our social lives and food seem to be two of the main factors in our lives. On a Friday or Saturday night Wabash is just crawling with "cruisers." These are people who continually drive through and around the favorites, such as; *McDonalds*, *Pizza Hut*, *Curb*, *A & W*, *Burger Chef* and a few others. There is a lot of socializing done and occasionally some eating. These places are a great finale after a movie, a date, a dance, or even after watching television at home. Whether you "cruise Kroger" or munch on a Big Mac you are sure to have memories of lots of good times.



1. The Northfield basketball players and cheerleaders attack their food at *The Curb*. 2. Many feel there is "More to like there" as they bomb around Big B.C. 3. Whether you

eat or work there, it hard to resist *Curb's* food. 4. The "golden arches" hold a lot of appeal for many NHS students. 5. Pizza's good whether you like it thick or thin.

Marvelous Mattress

If one believes the Thespian motto: "Act well your part; there all your honor lies", then he surely knows that the cast and crew of **ONCE UPON A MATTRESS** can be proud. May 6, 7, and 8 are nights to remember. Audiences enjoyed a vibrant performance by our own Carol Burnett-Iris Tackett-as Winifred the Woebegone. Who can forget the hilarious yet often tender pantomime artistry of Randy Lewis (King Sextimus), the clownishness of Jester Jim Johnson, or the little boyish nature of Joe Stieglitz (Dauntless). Queen Aggravain (Caroline Knezevich) will long be remembered for that raucous laugh and constant nagging, while novice Robbie Keaffaber's wizard was a definite favorite of the court. Tender love songs, corny sentimentalities and lover's quarrels punctuated the stage relationships of Dan Gillespie and Faith Williams as a cast of fantastic dancers and singers took us into this comedic storyland. The entire tale was colorfully woven by Minstrel Doug Schuster. When the show closed, ten seasons of successful musical theatre were completed and more students can say "Remember when"





Fun Behind the Mattress

As the hands of the handroom clock point to 7:45, the intensity of the moment becomes clear and actors, actresses, directors, technicians, and musicians begin to group into the friendship circle which has become a tradition in NHS theater. Good luck pennies and kisses are handed out, last minute instructions are given, messages from well-wishers read, and "break a leg" becomes the best-remembered line of the evening. This group, a well-oiled unit, thus begins another night of enjoyable work as they collectively strive to do their best for "Mom." For behind every show there is a successful technical crew, constantly working to make those on stage look and sound their best. Without the costume designers, make-up artists, lighting technicians, scenery designers, seamstresses, properties managers, student directors, stage managers, musicians, directors and other student assistants, such a show would never be possible. ONCE UPON A MATTRESS was possible only because, out of love, many students and faculty members gave something of themselves to each of us. Ladies and Gentlemen of this company, we salute you.....

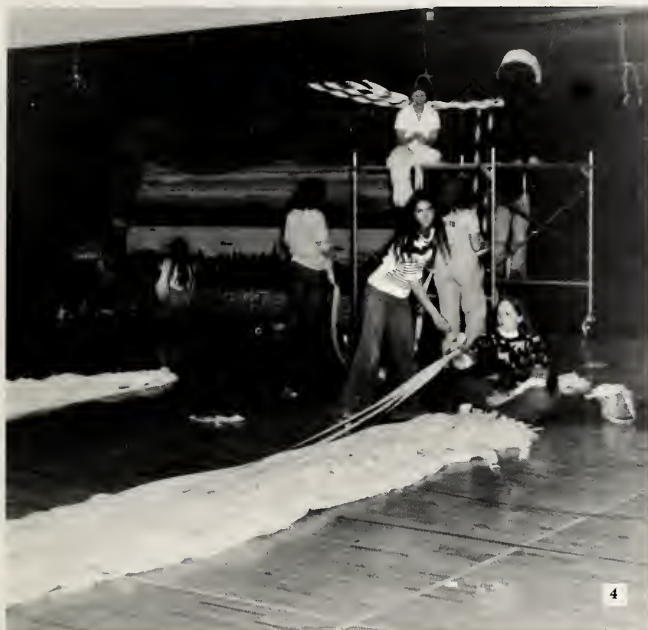




1. Ron Metz expertly throws the spot on the stage. 2. Part of the crews, front—J. Deeter, T. Keppel, K. Dyson, back—E. Olmstead, C. Sinclair, D. Unger, M. Strange, K. Kelly, C. White. 3. Music, a big part of Mattress. 4. Teresa Keppel and Faith Williams search for the pea. 5. Debbie Brodbeck and Sharon Metzger wait as "ladies in waiting" 6. Magic in the friendship circle. 7. Dauntless and Fred relax backstage. 8. Cary Hammel sits and gets used to his costume. 9. Kent Smith lets his "Hot Sams" digest.



"Precious and Few"—thirteenth annual prom



An aura of romance prevailed throughout the evening of May 1, 1976 at the Junior-Senior Prom. The gym was transformed into a wonderland of rainbow colors, a fountain, and sparkling chandeliers. The theme "Precious and Few" was chosen and elaborated on by the junior class. The lobby was decorated with a fountain, benches, and imaginative false walls. The floor was constantly occupied with couples dancing both fast and slow. Cake and punch which momentarily contained a goldfish, were served in one corner of the gym. The false ceiling and the Circus City Six created the mood. Many superstitions were erased as the thirteenth annual prom came to a successful end and a fine tribute to the bicentennial class of '76.

1. A little fast dancing and music add spice to the evening. 2. Some couples decide to relax and have some refreshments. 3 & 5. Swaying and moving to the music, couples feel the romance in the air. 4. A lot of hard work goes into the construction of the prom, as demonstrated by Wendy Holman and Lolita McIntire. 6. Cary Hammel and his date Cheryl Huffman, wait for Mr. Werking to take their picture.





1. Mr. Campbell congratulates Steve Norman as he receives a plaque and a blanket. 2. Jeff Loehnis receives a well earned medal from Mr. Mast for excellence in the Science department. 3. Miss Durnbaugh read off names on

honors night while Mr. Griffith and Mr. Wood congratulate the students. 4. John Chowning displays his trophy for second place in the optimist oratorical contest—"Tomorrow's Promises". 5. Delinda Shepard won the

Ft. Wayne Journal Gazette spelling bee and the Wabash Kiwanis spelling bee. 6. Mr. Lemming congratulates Cary Hammel for Cross Country Accomplishments.



Recognition & rewards given

Once again a very successful honors night came and went. Recognition was given to students who had been on the honor roll at least two or three times. Department awards were given and scholarship winners recognized. Many were honored on honors day at a school convocation for activities participated in and jobs well done. Some sport accomplishments were honored and because of effort put forth in athletics Northfield received the "All Sports" trophy. An awards night was held for Drama and Speech. Many were recognized for their efforts with the plays and accomplishments in speech.

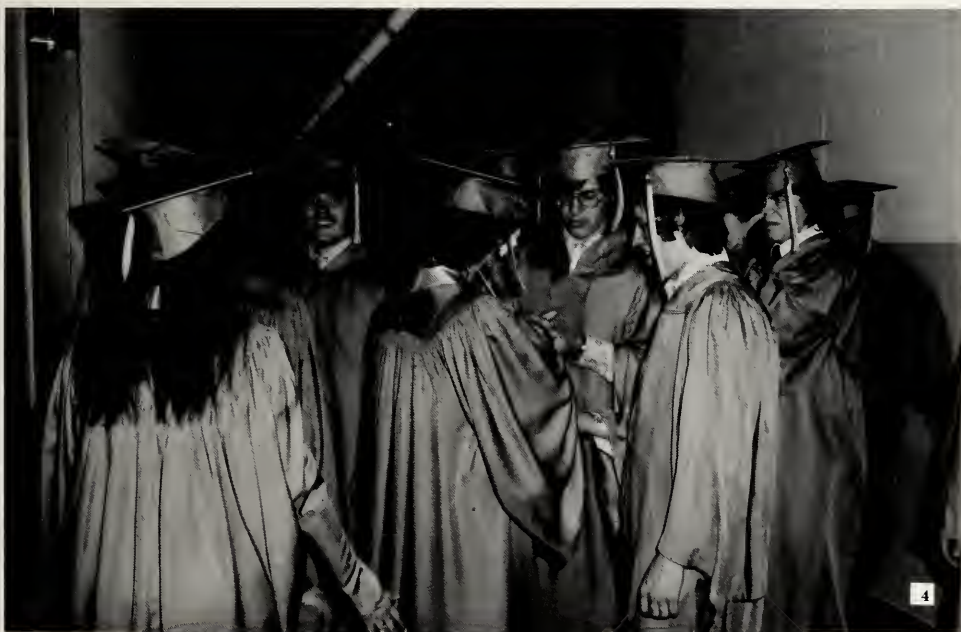


Tears, cheers Mixed Feelings cap off year!

With a flurry of caps, gowns, bobby pins and tassels, the seniors prepared for the finale of their twelve years. The students waited anxiously as the hands on the library clock neared 8:00. The seniors in band left to play their last song while Kathy Dyson sang. Slowly the class of '76 filed into their lines and awaited the band to play the processional. As each walked down the aisle with their partner they knew the big moment was nearing. "The Future Disease" was discussed by Valedictorian Debbie Brodbeck and the Salutatorian Sharon Slisher followed with her speech. Dr. John Kirkpatrick was the guest speaker. Soon, one by one, the students received their diplomas with cameras flashing. The class was introduced to the audience, no longer seniors but "The Graduates of 1976".

1. Left to right: Kathy Dyson, honors student, Laura Smalley, honors student, Sharon Slisher, salutatorian, and Debbie Brodbeck, valedictorian, represent the class of 1976. 2. Mr. Price helps the anxious and nervous seniors prepare for the ceremony. 3. The bicentennial class stands together as the ceremony is about to begin. 4. Last minute preparations, good-byes, and tears are exchanged.









A lot behind

A lot ahead!

Remembering yesterday and dreaming about tomorrow are a large part of graduation. Mixed feelings are felt by each of the graduates. The exhilarated feeling one gets from the accomplishment of twelve years helps to tone down the anticipation of the future. Though it may at times seem monotonous, school plays a big part in our everyday lives. It helps to mold our characters, bring together friends, and initiate learning and experiences. Many will miss the lockerside chats, lunchtime, and classes. But there are new challenges ahead whether it is college, a job, or marriage. Everyone has their own thoughts and feelings as their hand closes around the diploma. When turning the tassels the seniors bid a fond farewell. NHS will always be remembered by the class of '76.



1. Debbie Zinsmeister adjusts her cap in front of the hall mirror. 2. Kavena Anderson happily receives her diploma. 3. The graduates of 1976 face the audience and change their tassels to the left. 4. Graduates Peggy Hauptert and April Karns lead the class out for the Recessional. 5. Maria Velez looks surprised as she is captured by the camera. 6. And now they are gone.



Often people groan over things they are forced to do. Choice is a very important thing in a student's life as it helps him express and develop himself. The classes one takes tells a little about each character and his goals.

Too many times people take classes because their companions are and not because it is best for them. This can be compared to when one goes through the cafeteria line. As one, does he choose the food he enjoys not the food his friends enjoy.

Northfield is now producing a wide variety of classes. Departments such as English, math and social studies are rapidly expanding. With the larger selection of classes it is easier for a person to develop into a more distinct individual and to hear more clearly his "different drummer."



ACADEMICISM





To Be or Not to Be...

Whether one is a Shakespeare buff or just leaving Dick and Jane, he is sure to find an English class that appeals to him. There is a large variety of choices in the English Department. After taking the required courses in 7th, 8th, and 9th grade, one is able to expand. They have the choice of semester courses such as Contemporary Lit., Creative Writing, Drama, and Forensics or nine week courses like short stories, science fiction, advanced composition, and humor in lit. Journalism is also taught for those who would like newspaper experience.



1. Did you know Mr. Tyree's classes ever worked this hard? 2. With Science Fiction comes "Name That Tune, 2,000!" 3. English staff left to right: Mrs. Clark, Miss Landes, Miss Deem, Mrs. VanElls, Miss Durnbaugh, Miss Arnold, Mrs. Kitt.



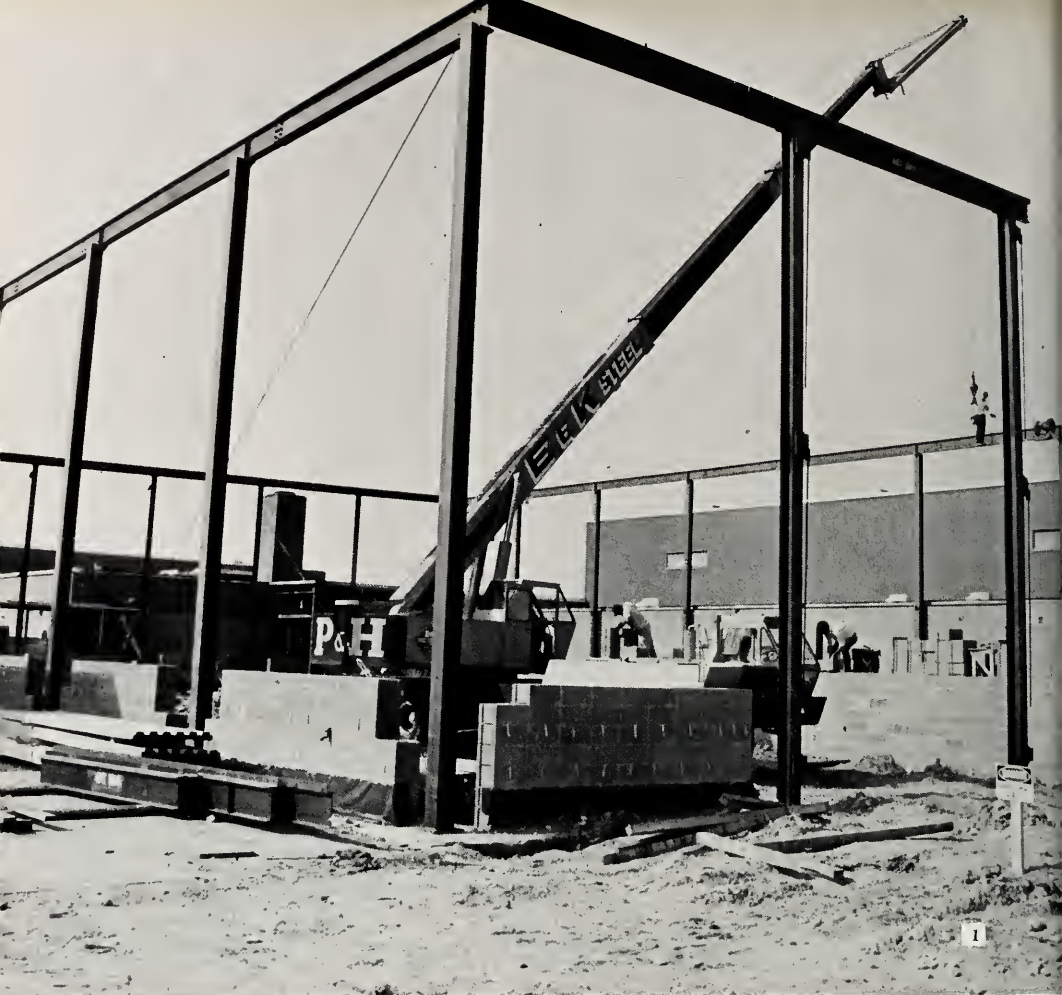
Trig is the “aftermath” of Algebra



There are almost more math classes than one can count. The 7th and 8th graders learn the basics and then choose between General Math and Algebra I. It is then possible for one to take Geometry or Practical Math. If one finds they enjoy math or have an ability for it, Algebra II is next on the list with Senior Math following. One finds they go from multiplying and subtracting to square roots, theorems and corollaries, imaginary numbers and trigonometry. Math is a way for one to develop reasoning powers and logic.

4. Math staff *Row 1*—Miss Dundore, Mr. Desper. *Row 2*—Mr. Reahard, Mr. Norman, Mr. Christie. 5. Boy, if she thinks she is frustrated now, wait till she hits Senior Math!!!!





1. Construction of the 800,000 dollar gym begins. 2. Bit by bit the new addition begins to take shape. 3. This job really "floors" Mr. Neale. 4. Nearing completion the gymnasium leaves many scraps and leftovers.



Flexibility is main asset of the new gym



In May 1975 construction of the \$800,000 new gym began. The new gym will give flexibility to the phys. ed. program. The boys can use one gym and the girls another. It has a laundry room, larger storage space, a co-ed training room, new locker rooms and remodeled coaches offices. This gym makes it possible for two sporting events to occur at the same time, a gymnastics program and a better wrestling program. It is the same size as the old, seats 500 people, has a sports tread floor and an indoor track.





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Gym classes

“sport” variety

Many times screams and laughter could be heard by students in study hall coming from the phys. ed. rooms. After class there is always a mad rush to be dressed by the time the bell has rung. Phy. ed. offers different things which appeal to different people. Some of these things are basketball, softball, gymnastics, bowling, and track; more unusual ones are crab soccer and bombardment. Many feel this is a great period for working out frustrations and breaking the monotony of the day.

1. Hitting the ball in softball is a great feeling. 2. Scoring in bowling almost seems like new math for Roy Williams, Ken Frances, and Martin Watts. 3. Hitting the pins is easy enough, the problem is “where do those balls come from?” 4. Coach Honeycutt, left, and Coach Coppler, right, do a great job in the phys. ed. department and spend a lot of time and energy. 5. “And now for my next magical trick,” the eighth graders look on enthralled.



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This department knows its business!

Walking into the building one is usually greeted by the noise of the pecking of typewriters. Fingers fairly flew over the keys in either of the classes. Personal Typing, Typing I, and Typing II are attended by many of the students who would like to learn to type to help them with a job or just in classes. Shorthand is a very useful thing to know. Accounting and bookkeeping are two of the business courses taken by many of the students. This year the students did a project with a fake company and learned to figure out how a business is run.

1. Lisa Hoover concentrates on her typing while Patti Hall and Brenda Bneson have fun picking out errors. 2. Left to right Mrs. Breiner, Mr. Smith and Miss Landes run off copies for the business department.



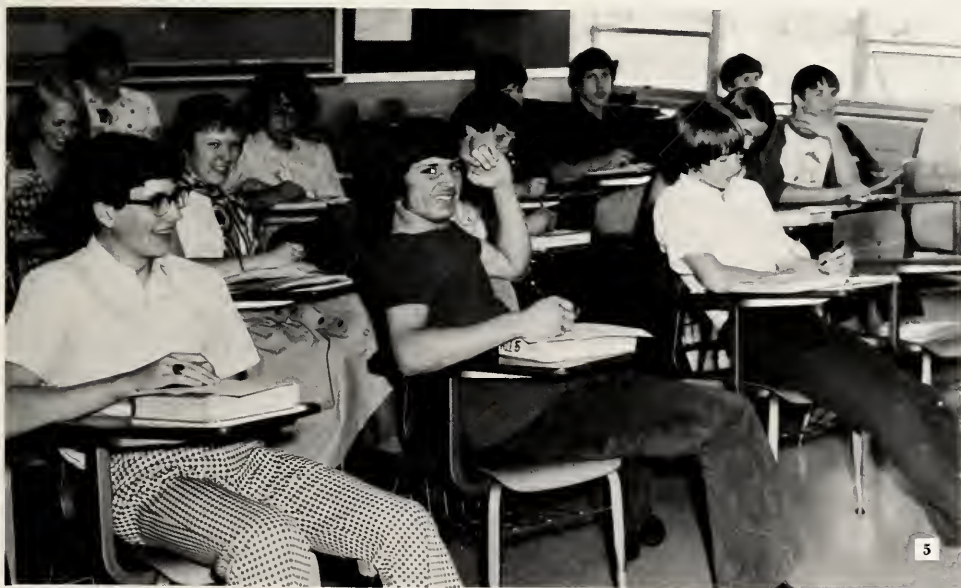


History has Bicentennial Boost

With all the bicentennial fuss the History department has a little publicity. Social studies is a very useful thing to take. It helps one to understand why things happen and how today's situations have come about. There are many courses offered to juniors and seniors like Recent U.S. History, Asian History, Values and Issues, and more. From seventh grade to twelfth grade history is required with geography, World History, U.S. History, and Gov/Econ.



3. The magic circle in Mr. Winegardner's history class. 4. Recalling days of old are Mr. Winegardner, Mr. Price, Mr. Clark, Mr. Kaltenmark and Mr. Miller. 5. This history class studies when they aren't hamming it up.



French Frolic

Spanish Sport

Foreign Fun

Wine Tasting, Flamingo dancing, Siestas, and outdoor markets are a few foreign customs practiced; in Europe, not at Northfield. Despite the limitations of the language department one doesn't notice the things not done because of the variety of things that are done. French and Spanish are offered to the high school students. Scrabble, the language lab, speeches, projects, and conversations are a few of the things done in class. The foreign exchange students offered bits of their culture and a few people came and spoke about different countries. Some special things were done this year, one example was a French picnic.

1. Maria Velez tried to teach Caroline Knezvich and Jenny Deeter the Mexican hat dance but does not appear to have had success. 2. Linda Winters appears intrigued by the world of Spanish. 3. Mr. Fuschetto compares himself with the "hombre" on the bulletin board.



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“Note” how fun music is—Name That Tune



Do re me fa sol la ti—do you enjoy music? For some the music classes are a relaxing part of the day. Some play instruments in the band while others turn to the natural resources of their voice. Both separate and combined programs are put on by band and chorus. The type of music varies from modern pop to golden oldies. Pep sessions are livened up by the band playing the school song. The chorus department has performed in school convos. Both seventh and eighth graders are required to take some type of music course. There are many electives offered. Some students participated in honor choir and honor band.

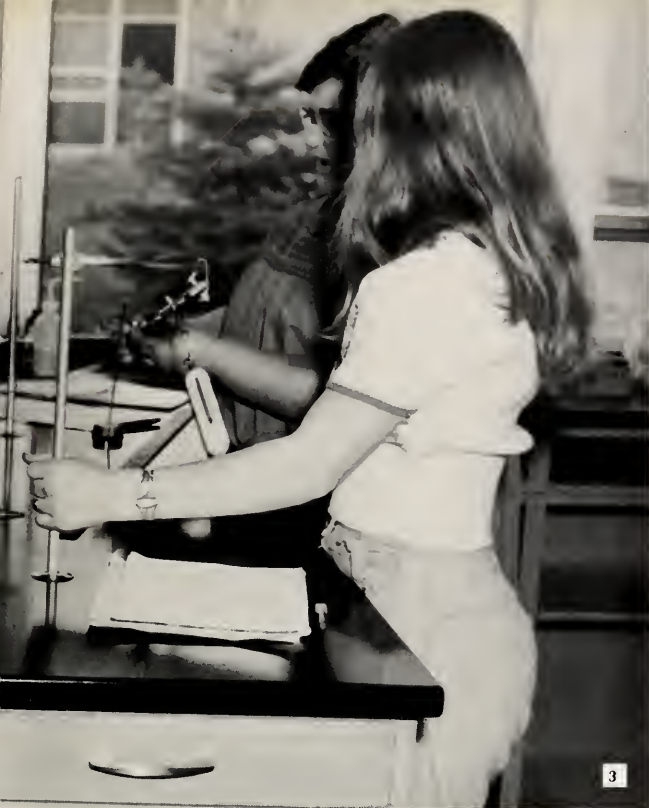
4. Tune in to the music teachers; left to right—Mr. Trump, Miss O'Haver, Mr. Walke.
5. A typical day in band class last period.



The Science Department at Northfield is headed by Marvin Mast. He is ably assisted by Bob Denari, Bill Neale, Tom Reahard and Dennis Walker. These instructors strive to prepare each student for a rigorous college schedule that will help each individual follow the path he chooses. The junior high classes learn about the basic sciences such as matter and energy. The freshmen classes studied the biological aspect of science. The instructors for the lower grades strive to give each student as much individual help as possible. The high school science courses are all electives including Advanced Bio, Chemistry, Botany, and Physics. The elective classes are more difficult than the required courses but more emphasis is placed on individual study.

1. Allen Miracle and Mickey Strange concoct some evil looking potions in chemistry class. 2. Something funny seems to be happening in the chemistry room by the look in Mr. Mast's eyes (far left), Mr. Denari's smile, Mr. Walker's expression, Mr. Walker's stance, and Mr. Reahard's chuckle. 3. According to these students if this happens it causes this to react as a catalyst to that! (?)





*A drip is a drop;
drop is water;
water is nature
and nature is
beautiful!*



Home ec. sweet home ec.

The whir of sewing machines accounts for the interesting display in the Home Ec. hall's showcase. The department teaches many practical things. The tantalizing aromas that fill the school are from students concocting meals. Girls plan their weddings, their dream house, learn about

home nursing, nutrition, child care, and many other things. Also pressing for equal rights, many boys take bachelor's survival and learn many useful tricks. Fashion shows, breakfasts, and special demonstrations add variety to the Home Economics department.

1. Mrs. Busch, left, and Miss McGovern, right, grade a sewing project. 2. Jolene Swope models her clothes for visiting mothers during the fashion show. 3. The seventh graders think pizza eating is fun.





Magnificent murals made

Art classes for the 1975-76 school year worked on various projects that ranged from oil painting to sculpture and included drawing and excellent macrame hanging planters. Largest of these projects were the five Bicentennial murals that many of the students worked on in class and during several hours of their spare time. These projects are not only a salute to our nation's 200th birthday, but also a fine display of the exceptional talent held by students here at N.H.S.

4. Mr. Groover, in charge of the art program, gives a student advice. 5. With a creative idea in mind, students busy themselves during art class. 6. Deep in concentration Cheryl Hampton lets the creative juices flow.



“Shop” around for fun in Ag.

Imagine someone speaking about the good rich soil with *America the Beautiful* playing in the background; sounds like something from Green Acres! This is true devotion as shown by many of the boys who take Ag. Of course the music and touching speeches are omitted but many enjoy the courses. Some courses offered are: Plant and Soil Science, Animal Science, Farm Mechanics and Farm Management. These classes are usually enjoyed because they involve working with machines and crops. The Shop department also has the students work on projects. The basic skills of carpentry and construction are learned and put to use. Some things made by the students are picnic tables, loading shutles and feed bunks.

1. “Wood” you enjoy Shop class like these boys? 2. With hammer in hand Steve Norman rejoices in the accomplishment of the bed he made. 3. Mr. Weekly, left, and Mr. Jackson, right, are a great help to the shop students. 4. Mr. Harts watches David Bowman to make sure he is doing the job correctly. 5. Randy Good and Steve Norman curl up on Randy’s new bed custom made by Steve. 6. Mr. Steele and Mr. Harts get to the root of the matter in the Ag. Department.





Vocational Opportunities

The Upper Wabash Career Center is attended by many students who want to learn a trade. The vocational school has had an excellent record in assisting it's graduates in locating employment in industry, businesses, hospitals, and other places. This program helps students develop desires and talents. Accounting, data processing, Beauty culture, Food service, Health occupations and office training are just a few choices.





1. Laura Smalley, Jane Wasem, Amy Risher, instructor Mrs. Olgesby, and Karla Steele in Office Training. 2. John Carpenter tries drafting under the approval of his instructor and Barry Hicks and Dean Davenport. 3. Beauty culture is always fun as demonstrated by Deb Zinsmeister, Sharon Slisher, and Cindy Baker. 4. Joe Flitcraft and Jeff Young are assisted by their instructor in printing. 5. Tina Corn and Linda Winters dish out a delicious dessert. 6. Accounting made to look fun by Nancy Weesner, Pam Vigar, and Sandy Hawkins.



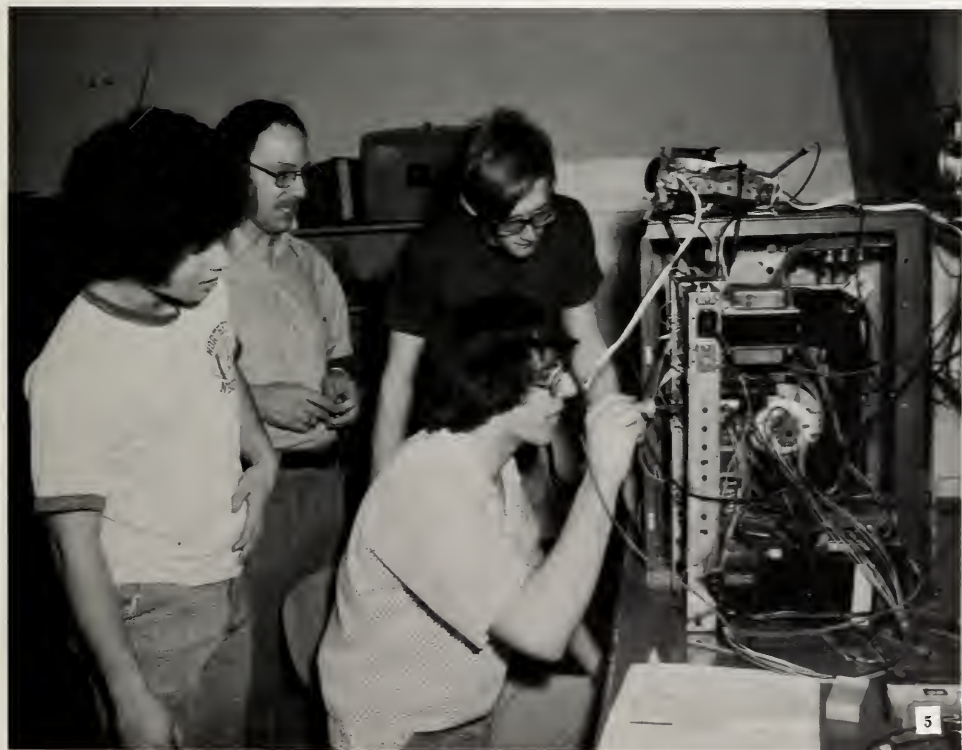
Challenging trades offered

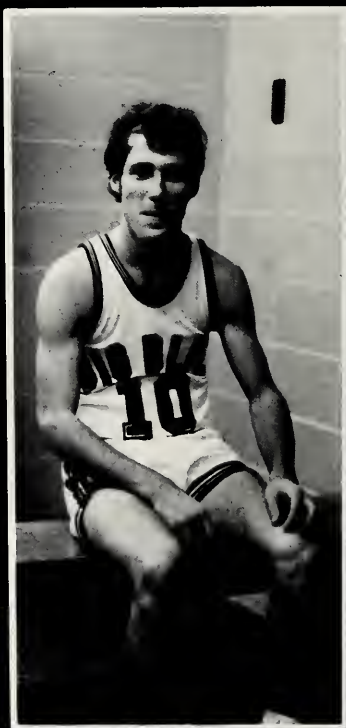
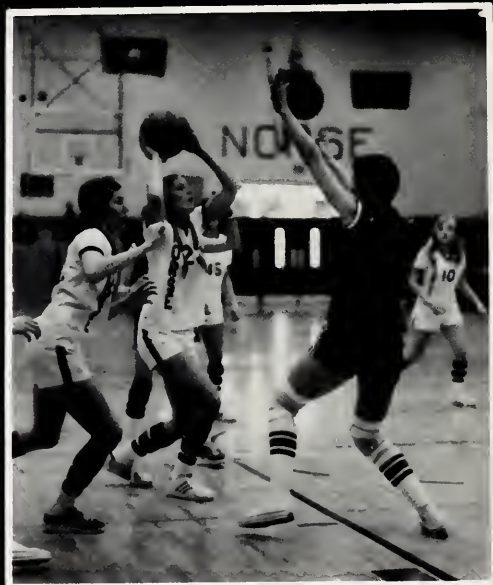
When one has interest in a particular occupational program, vocational school may be the answer. It offers 17 different courses and is attended by six schools: Northfield, Southwood, Wabash, N. Manchester, N. Miami, and Peru. The school day consists of three consecutive hours either in the morning, afternoon, or evening. They are transported by bus back to N.H.S. for required courses. Some of the courses that especially attract boys are: Ag. Mechanics, auto body repair, building trades, drafting, electronics, machine shop, printing and welding.



1. Doug Schuster and Rick Leach practice techniques in Machine shop while their instructor observes. 2. Tom Curtis and Dick Hawkins prepare to weld. 3. Ag mechanics looks like it is enjoyed by Dave Bowman and Bill Schultz. 4. Auto repair can come in handy, Brian Harrell, James Clarkson and Mark Vigar seem to know their cars. 5. Terry Tully, Randy Robinson, and Randy Ravorite do a good job on electronics. 6. Cooperative ed. is experienced by this group of boys.









Sweaty locker rooms, bruises, dirty uniforms, practice and locker room companionship, are as much a part of sports as bright lights, balls, victory, defeat, and the game itself. Athletics are a way for many to develop their assets, overcome their weaknesses, and learn to respect and work with others. Sportsmanship and teamwork are a large part of athletics. Each player must learn to compromise and share glory with his teammates, whether it be a group effort like football or an individual effort like golf. In sports competition can be tough, there are disappointments as well as successes for each person to deal with. The athletes learn to help each other and have fun times as well as knowledge of the game. As individuals we can have teamwork in our everyday lives as well as in games. We are faced with choices just like the participants in sports. Athletics is, in a small way, a preparation for life; so, "Go team—fight!"

TEAMWORK

1975 Gridiron efforts net first championship

The 1975 Fighting Norsemen Football Team accomplished a milestone in N.H.S. history by capturing the school's first football championship. They became Co-Champs of the Three Rivers Conference beating North Miami (36-16) for the first Homecoming win since 1968, and by defeating Caston (18-12) in overtime in perhaps the most exciting game in local football history. The Norse were lead to their outstanding 7-3 season by the nine fine Senior athletes. The 1976 Seniors also have the finest three-year record in N.H.S. history with 20 wins and 10 losses. The success of the 1975 team was keyed by a combination of fine Senior leadership and over all team talent at every level and position.

1. Jerry France "ploughs through" for another touchdown. 2. Seniors: first row, J. France, M. Siders, M. Driscoll, R. Good, J. Loehnis. Second row, M. Eiler, R. Favorite, S. Norman, J. Hammel. 3. There goes that Norman kid again! 4. The Mighty Norse bring home a Jamboree victory. 5. The Varsity team faces the facts—they're great! 6. Complete with name and number the team backs the Norse.





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Football & Cross Country show enthusiasm.

Second undefeated Freshmen team at N.H.S.

N.H.S. 6 6 Manchester
N.H.S. 20 0 North Miami
N.H.S. 24 6 Caston
N.H.S. 47 0 Salamonie
N.H.S. 25 6 Crestview
N.H.S. 19 0 Southwood
N.H.S. 33 0 Eastbrook

The eighth grade team had a season record of 2-4. The boys kept up their spirit and never stopped fighting. The seventh graders did a good job finishing the year winning four and losing one. Enthusiasm was shown by the boys in spirit and performance. All three teams are promising material for future Varsity players.

If you happen to be staying after school and boys keep running by the room, don't be alarmed. It is not a flood, tornado, or fire, it is the Cross Country boys practicing hard for their meets. One doesn't just get up and run five miles, it takes a lot of conditioning. The Cross Country individuals run throughout the summer to get in shape. With seven wins and six losses the team had a good record. In the Huntington Invitational, Northfield got fourth place out of seven teams and sixth place out of fourteen teams in the N.H.S. Invitational. The ten team members have a lot of get up and gone ...

Cross Country Score Block

Northfield 22	Eastbrook	33
Northfield 37	Wabash	20
Northfield 19	Peru	36
Northfield 50	Manchester	15
Northfield 18	Hunt. Catholic	37
Northfield 33	Tipp. Valley	24
Northfield 23	Southwood	32
Northfield 46	Oak Hill	15
Northfield 15	Culver	50
Northfield 23	Whites	32
Northfield 42	Ft. Wayne Snider	19
Northfield 21	Whitco	35
Northfield 31	Caston	24



1. Ninth grade football team: front row, T. McVoy, R. Walden, D. Sausaman, C. Allman, C. Denari, R. SESCO, D. Sweet, R. Keaffaber. Second row, Coach Cambell, D. Stanley, R. Grey, R. Shafer, R. Woodward, J. France, D. Harrell, B. Harris, Coach Coppler. Third row, C. Miller, P. VanBuskirk, B. Grey, T. Polk, B. Kochenour, K. Haupt, J. Warnock, J. France. 2. Eighth grade football team: first row, D. Singer, C. Arrick, G. Zapata, M. Bowers, M. Judy, D. Sparling, Stan Bowman. Row two, R. Knotts, R. Kline, D. Harold, R. Biehl, M. Carrol, B. Elzroth, M. Devour. Row three, G. Dangerfield, W. Schultz, L. Blair, K. Dilling, D. Seeley, K. Lindsy, A. Meade, Coach Groover. 3. Seventh grade football: first row, D.

Honeycutt, J. Schultz, A. Wietzel, V. Clay, S. Smith, B. Miller, B. Houlihan, R. Reahard, M. Schuler, T. Shafer. Second row, B. Muncie, J. Chowning, B. Davis, S. Harris, J. Johnson, S. Hipsher, T. Denari, T. Kline, T. Wuench, B. Allman. Third row, J. Crist, T. McKinney, D. Moore, B. Flott, D. Ault, D. Metger, R. Elzroth, K. Daves, S. Hively, S. Kaufman. Fourth row, G. Miller, R. Treska, J. Lawrence, B. Frieden, R. Cameron, E. Sinclair, D. Vandenmark, Coach Leming. 4. Cross Country Team: front row, M. Haupt, J. Hettmansperger, D. Dawes, R. Metz. Back row, B. Helvey, K. Kelly, C. Krom, C. Hammel, Coach Christie.

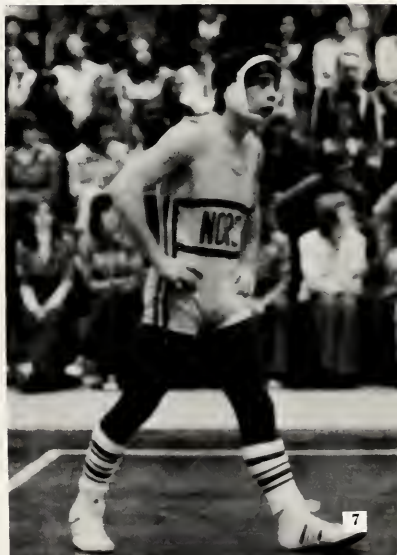
Wrestlers win and win and ...

This year's wrestling team recently completed the most successful season in the school's history. The wrestling team, consisting of 41 members, compiled a 10 and 2 dual meet record, won the Northfield Invitational and claimed the Three River's Conference title. Other accomplishments of this team are numerous. The Norse placed 3rd in the sectional, highest in the school's history, and sent five wrestlers to the Regional. One wrestler, Steve Norman, represented the school in the Fort Wayne Semi-State and placed third. Highlights of this years season were many, some are: the Norse won 10 straight dual meets, they defeated 4 teams never defeated before by NHS wrestlers and were undefeated in conference dual meet competition.



1. Steve Norman waits for the referee's ok to attack his opponent. 2. R. Waldon, K. Good, C. Hammel, K. Kelly, J. Johnson, R. Good, M. Kasamis, J. Hettmansperger, M. Eiler, S. Norman, J. France, R. Favorite. 2nd row: T. Martindale, K. Bear, M. Shelton, P. VanBuskirk, J. France, M. Driscoll, B. Griffith, K. Martindale, D. Townsend, Coach Cambell, Assistant Coach John Deener. 3rd row: J. Slee, B. Ford, D. Harrel, B. Harris, A. Ross, R. SESCO, R. Keffaber, R. Woodward, T. Polk. Read left to right. 3. Randy Favorite stalks before he goes in for the kill.





Sectional victors were: front row, R. Waldon, R. Good, back row, M. Eiler, S. Norman, R. Favorite. 5. Anticipation is the name of the game as Coach Campbell watches Norse wrestle. 6. Cary Hammel attempts to flip his opponent, aiming for a great record. 7. What's going on?—Matt Driscoll ready to win.

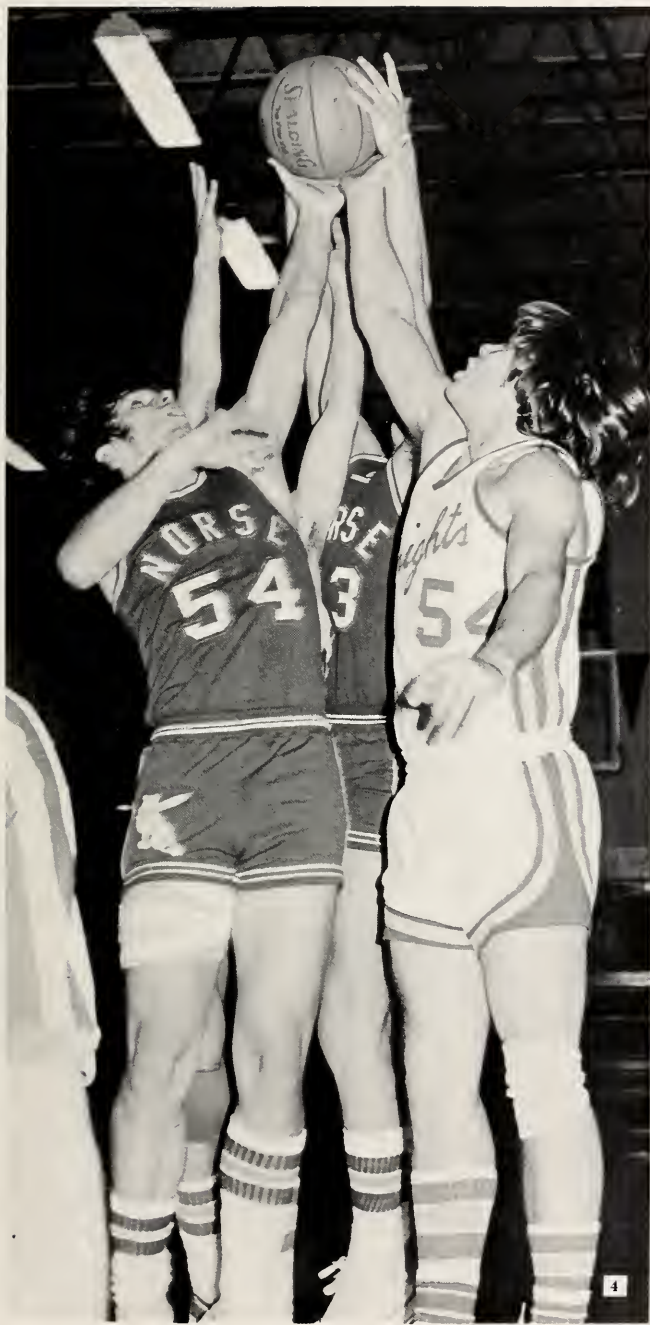
Team displays spirit & effort

The 1975-76 basketball season saw the Norse drop 18 of 19 games. The early season losses proved too much for the Northfield squad to overcome. A late season surge saw the Big Blue play some fine basketball with some excellent individual efforts. Ron Metz earned All-County and All Conference honors, displaying a competitive and spirited attitude. Ron broke the school's record for assists by handing out 17 against Eastern. Surprise find of the year, Dan Eads, came on strong as the season progressed. Dan scored 31 points against Eastern and had great games against Wabash, Triton, and Southwood. Post season awards went to Ron Metz as MVP, Dan Dawes and Jeff Hammel as Best Defensive players, Dan Eads as Most Improved player, Jeff Loehnis for the Best Mental Attitude. While the year was frustrating for the fans, those who know what hard work and dedication are can appreciate the efforts of the players who gave a 100% effort.



1. Breaking through the opponent's defense, Jeff Hammel makes a shot. 2. Chittick really moves as he goes down the floor. 3. Varsity squad: 1st row: right to left, B. Swan, D. Eads, C. Sampson, R. Metz, J. Hammel, M. Siders, L. Unger. 2nd row: Coach Desper, D. Schnepf, B. Chittick, D. Shepherd, D. Dawes, J. Loehnis, Coach Denari. 4. An exciting jump shot is in the hands of the Norse. 5. Dennis Schnepf aims to fire. 6. Chris Sampson "goes for two."





Injuries hurt

J.V.'s season

The Junior Varsity basketball team for 1975-76 started the season playing fine basketball rushing to a 6-5 record. Then hit by a rash of injuries, the team finished slowly and ended the season with a respectable 7-11 season record. The highlight of the season was the challenging game against Maconaquah. Though the Northfield players were outsize by 6 inches per man, they were victorious with the score 55-51. Many efforts were displayed throughout the year and the guys never quit trying. There is quite a bit of promising material for next year's Varsity squad. The players were: left to right, Steve Rogers, Dan Carr, Todd Schnepf, Perry VanMeter, Mark Lutz, Lindy Unger. This was Coach Desper's first year at N.H.S. and he did a very good job.

Though it looks like tic tac toe, the basketball players know Coach Desper is drawing a play.



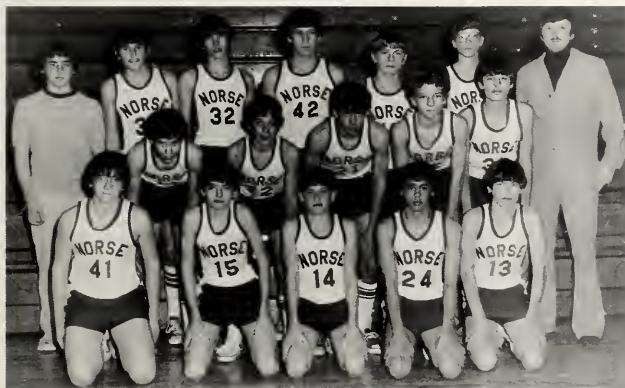


Young teams are successful

The 1975-76 N.H.S. freshman basketball squads saw the A team finish with a record of 6-8; while the B team ended 11-1. The A team was led by Nathan Vrooman, leading scorer; Duane Wilcox, leading rebounder; and Chris Denari, best shooting percentage.

The B team's excellent season was led by Brent Hauptert, leading scorer and rebounder; Ed Fitch's high shooting percentage; and Lalon Allen, leading in assists. All of the other boys on both teams turned in fine performances.

Row 1: Coach Smith, T. Dawes, C. Denari, J. Biehl, L. Allen. *Row 2:* E. Fitch, B. Reed, N. Vrooman, B. Helvey, S. Shafer. *Row 3:* R. Grey, J. Draper, D. Wilcox, J. Warnock, B. Hauptert.



Five games won and eight lost was the season's record for the eighth grade basketball team. The team steadily improved and was playing excellent ball at the end of the season. The season's highlight was a victory over Southwood in the tourney after previously losing in a double-overtime. The leading scorer was Greg Chittick and highest rebounder was Ken Lindzy. The eighth grade does a great job when they apply themselves.

Row 1: M. DeVore, J. Mowery, J. Williams, S. Richardson, R. Kline. *Row 2:* T. Hoppes, M. Schuler, D. Warford, K. Harrell, C. Trump, Coach Walker. *Row 3:* B. Eltzroth, C. Arrick, C. Chittick, K. Dilling, K. Lindzy, R. Ogan.



Our 1975-76 seventh grade edition of the Norsemen compiled a fine 12 and 4 record. With the A team winning 8 and losing 3; the B team won 4 and lost 1. The success of these boys was based on their strong defensive play along with their disciplined and opportunistic offense. The boys were eager to learn and did an excellent job participating.

Row 1: Coach Groover, T. Denari, S. Harris, S. Kaufman, T. Kline, S. Hipshire, T. Shafer. *Row 2:* B. Houlihan, B. Allman, K. Dawes, J. Lawrence, J. Johnson, A. Wietzel. *Row 3:* R. Reahard, J. Chowning, R. Treska, K. Kelly, S. Kirtlan, M. Schuler.

NHS tracks a great season!

The 1976 Norse Track Team completed another very successful season. Lead by a group of outstanding seniors, the Norsemen won a total of 68 first place blue ribbons. Fifty-two of those first place finishes will be back for next years squad. Steve Norman was the MVP. He led the team in scoring with 118 $\frac{3}{4}$ and won 12 $\frac{1}{4}$ first place ribbons. Steve ran the high and low hurdles and ran a leg on the 880 relay team. He was also named first team all-conference in track. Cary Hammel was the most improved runner and led the team in the 2-mile event. Steve Gill broke the school record in 220 with a time of 23.2. Freshmen records were broken by Lalon Allen—mile, and Bob Kochenour—long jump. The track team will have a great deal of talent coming back for next years season. Experience and quality will add quality to the upcoming year.

1. Chris Krom huffs and puffs and blows the other team down. 2. Ready, set, throw! Chris Sampson makes the discus look like frisbee. 3. Mitch Beals finds that his exertion was worthwhile as he crosses the finish line first. 4. Coaches Brubaker, Coppler, and Lemming head for a great day at the track. 5. NHS track team left to right: D. Dawes, T. Hauptert, C. Krom, M. Bowen, B. Burnsworth, J. France, S. Norman, M. Siders, K. Kelly, K. Martindale, Coach Coppler. Row 2—C. Hammel, C. Sampson, R. Keffaber, M. Beals, S. Gill, K. Baer, L. Allen, C. Faust, B. Kochenour, Coach Lemming. Row 3—J. Loehnis, K. Hauptert, T. Polk, B. Griffith, T. Martindale, M. Prater, M. Culver, T. Raver. 6. If you're going to the track lay your bets on 2-miler Cary Hammel. 7. You have to learn how to tell time all over again when you time the runners. 8. Steve Norman hurdles great obstacles. (hurdles!) 9. Prospective track members from the 7th grade: Row 1—R. Reahard, B. Miller, C. Long, C. Deeter, J. Rees, B. Deeter, K. Edits, J. Renbarger, T. Deeter, S. Rice, K. Kelly, T. Denari. Row 2—T. Shafer, K. Dawes, J. Johnson, S. Harris, D. Singer, J. Lawrence, M. Judy, S. Kaufman, B. Flott, D. Metzger, Coach Walker.







Daddy's Demons Did It!

Intramurals was a popular sport this year with enough boys participating to form ten teams. This is the exciting game of basketball with competition within the school itself. Fans were sparse with the game times beginning at 6:30 in the morning but this did not subdue the teams. Bit by bit the teams battled it out until the team "Daddy's Demons" proved their superiority in front of an all school convocation.

Intramural teams, front row-back row: 1. *Daddy's Demons*; Randy Good, Greg Bickhart, Mike Deeter, Bob Corn, Steve Norman. 2. *Oilers*; Chris Krom, Matt Driscoll, Doug Yentes, Mark Eiler, Mark Hauptert, Mark Meston, Rob Collins. 3. *Shorties*; Tony Holman, Russ Waldon, Robbie Keaffaber, Dave Sausaman, Bob Treska, Jeff France, Phil Draper. 4. *Bombers*; Ron Deeter, Bryan Frehse, Cary Hammel, Tom Vigar, Tim Lane, Barry Hicks, Doug Dawes, Greg Pownall. 5. *Bruisers*; Maurice Shelton, Kevin Baer, Paul Smith, Mark Bowen, Greg Bell. (Tony Judy, Jack Bever). 6. *A.L.A.*; Rick Stouffer, Jeff Young, Roger Stouffer, Rick

Leach, Dean Davenport, John Carpenter. 7. *Superman*; Chris Cammack, Craig Allman, Rod Hegal, Doug Sweet (Kyle Sinclair, Trent Schuler, Steve Gill, Scott Schaff.) 8. *Beasts*; Brian Ford, Tom Martindale, Brian Griffith, Bill Schultz, Mitch Beals, Mike Kasamis. (Kent Martindale, Terry Tully, Jim Johnson.) 9. *Plowjocks*; Don Eads, Frank Driscoll, Mark Wagner, Randy Ross, Kurt Carver, Mike Metzger, Mike Culver, Rex Grossman, Kyle Steele. 10. *Farmers*; Tim Raver, Gene Fox, Dave DeVore, Gerald Young, (Jeff Miller, Dick Hawkins).



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The 1976 Norse Golf team finished second in the Three Rivers Conference, losing to first place champion Culver by one stroke 347 to 348. The Norse showed fantastic team and individual improvement this season as they won ten matches. Ron Metz earned medalist honors for the second straight year, Mike Deeter received the "Most Improved" award, and Chris Denari received the "Rookie of the Year" honors. Fourteen golfers made up the squad.

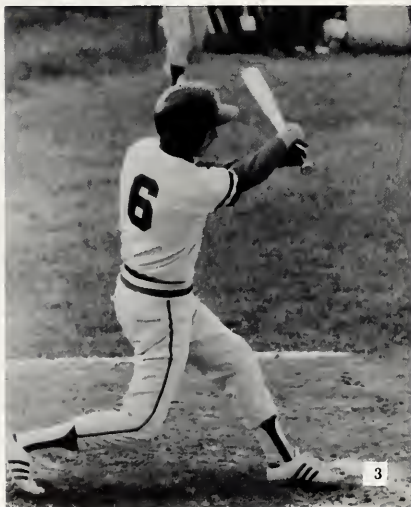
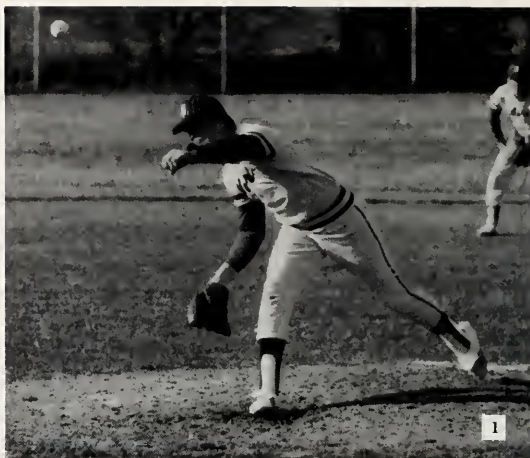
Golf team—front row, left to right; Coach Denari, Brad Baber, Nathan Vrooman, Chris Denari, Phil Draper, Beth Olmstead, Tony Holman, Dave McKenzie, Doug Sweet. Row 2; Darreld Stanely, Greg Bickhart, Mike Deeter, Ron Metz, Mike Kasamis, Jeff Draper.

*Golf team is in
the swing of
things*

N.H.S. slides into a Super Season!

Seven lettermen returned to the diamond this year. They had all experienced success in their respective positions and should prove to be a powerful nucleus around which to build the 76 program. The baseball team has always been noted for their spirited attitudes and drive. This game is one of individual and group effort. Swinging those bats, driving the balls, catching and throwing; tremendous effort is exerted and rewarded. Before going into the sectional the 1976 team had a record of 10-4-1. With that record behind them and the goal of being conference champs ahead of them the Norsemen will have a great showing. The 1975 NHS baseball team completed it's most successful season in July 1975. They had a record of 19-7-1 and earned the Three Rivers Conference Championship. The guys showed team work and were a great representation of NHS.

1. Greg Pownell releases the pitch; it looks like a curve ball. 2. Jeff Hammel winds up for the pitch...Watch Out!! 3. As the muscles ripple, the bat swings and the ball flies. 4. 1975 Three Rivers Conference Team: *left to right, Row one*—N. Pretorius, S. Driscoll, M. White, B. Hettmansperger, R. Merrick, K. Merrick. *Row Two*—L. Dixon, L. Unger, D. Yentes, B. Frehe, B. Swan, G. Pownell, M. Mast. *Row Three*—Coach Winegardner, Asst. Coach Campbell, R. Deeter, T. Lane, C. Sampson, J. Hammel, Asst. Coach Smith.





5. 1976 NHS baseball team: *left to right, Row one*—R. Deeter, J. Johnson, L. Unger, B. Swan, R. Hegel. *Row Two*—C. Hammel, T. Lane, M. Lutz, J. Oldencamp, B. Frehse, R. Woodward. *Row Three*—ASST. Coach Campbell, G. Pavnell, C. Sampson, B. Chittick, J. Slee, D. Dawes, Coach Winegardner. *Row Four*—S. Long, L. Frehse, R. Favorite, J. Hammel, D. Yentes, J. Dawes, M. Mast, K. Merrick. 6. A lettel advice before a lost of action. 7. Chris Sampson and his pretty petunias on 2nd base. (gee Chris) 8. Coach Winegardner plays with the ball machine.

*You've come a
long way; First
girls' trophy!*

Volleyball started the train of girl's sports chugging down the track toward recognition and accomplishment. The varsity finished with the winning record of 6-5 and the jr. varsity with 7-4. The whole team did a fabulous job and never quit. Awards honored a few of the girls. Shelly Renbarger received the High Points award for the varsity team. Kelly Merrick received the award for Sportsmanship. The girls always did their best and exhibited teamwork. The girls sports program took a giant step forward with all competitive teams posting winning records. The athletic program involved more girls than ever before. The basketball team added a big boost by winning the first girl's trophy in the history of Northfield. Kelly Merrick earned the Most Valuable Player trophy. The track team was large and had Kelly Merrick going to regional in the 440 and hurdles.





1. The proud varsity basketball team with the first girls' trophy, left to right—L. Bever, K. Tiede, R. Allen, D. Siders, T. Johnson, J. Draper. Row 2—M. Mast, L. Frehse, K. Steele, J. Dawes, J. Rice, K. Merrick, C. Gillespie, Coach Honeycutt. 2. NHS girls volleyball team left to right: Row 1—S. Renbarger, J. Dawes, K. Merrick, Row 2—L. Frehse, K. Tiede, K. Steele, R. Allen, Coach Breiner. Not pictured: Sharon Metzger. 3. Presenting the girl's track team: M. Mast, K. Merrick, A. Karns, S. Long, T. Johnson, L. Frehse, K. Brodbeck, S. Lane, B. Cartwright, T.L. McKinnley. Row 2—J. Dawes, J. Rice, B. Schnepf, L. Driscoll, C. Gillespie, T. Rogers, J. Draper, Coach Honeycutt. Row 3—R. Arlick, L. Beals, L. Kitchen, G. Faust, T. Joy, M. Daugherty, C. Yocum. 4. J.V. basketball team—T. Eltis, S. Lane, T. Bower, T. Rogers. Row 2—T. Joy, R. Southworth, L. Driscoll, M. Daugherty, S. Long, Coach Honeycutt. 5. Coach Honeycutt, always concerned and involved with the girl's sports. 6. No time was wasted in the relays. 7. Up and away; in through the hoop. 8. The J.V. volleyball team left to right—L. Frehse, T. Johnson, J. Draper, S. Lane, T. Eltis, D. Siders, Coach Breiner. Row 2—T. Joy, J. Deeter, S. Long, R. Southworth, C. Gillespie, B. Anderson, Y. Shigeta.



No matter how confused kids may become over whether the classes are 1,2,3,-2,3,1,-3,2,1, or anything else, they wouldn't give up their activity periods. There are many types of clubs from which one can choose. These organizations combine fun, learning, and experience. Field trips, cake raffles, dances, pie-throwing contests, and dinners, all result from the organizations. There is always a challenge to think up ways to earn money, decide trips the club can take, and think up ways to entertain. Students with similar interests can meet through clubs, and new friendships form. These organizations help break the monotony of a school day and add a little variety to ones life. They can aid one in "Stepping to a different drummer" and becoming a unique person.

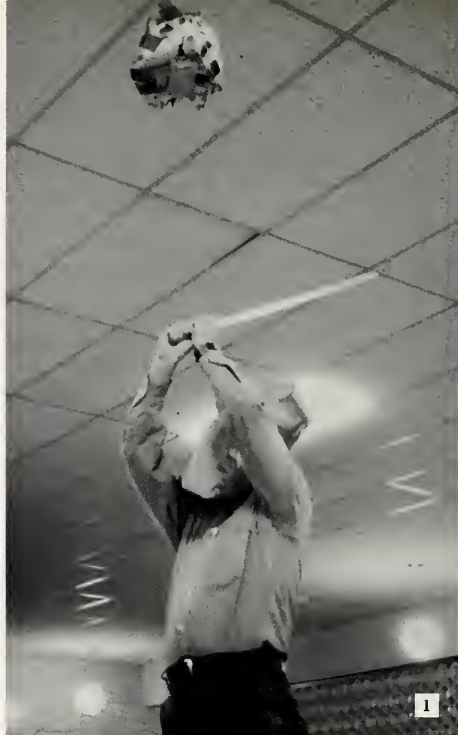


ORGANIZATIONS

Foreign Fun!

If one is walking through the school one evening and smells a variety of foreign dishes, you haven't walked into a pizzeria by mistake. It is just the foreign language club having an international party. This year the clubs activities were highlighted by a Christmas party, co-sponsoring the Sweetheart dance, the foreign exchange students and handing out various awards.

1. Mr. Fuschetto relieves his frustrations by hitting a pinata. (peek-a-boo) 2. Foreign Language Club members *left to right*: K. Brodbeck, S. Lane, C. White, J. Deeter, C. Gillespie, P. Plant, K. Anderson, D. Swart, M. Mast, L. Knee, R. Allen, T. Eilts, T. Schuler. *Row 2*—D. Schuler, B. Olmstead, J. Draper, M. Kisner, S. Kelly, Maria Velez, A. Karns, C. Sampson, M. Meston, L. Winters, C. Dyson, W. Holman. *Row 3*—J. Hammel, J. King, J. Stieglitz, C. Knezevich, S. Renbarger, D. Winters, L. Bever, B. Treska, L. Unger, F. Tiede. *Row 4*—B. Tomlinson, T. Polk, M. Prater, J. Bonhoff, K. Cammack, C. Allman, D. Sweet, R. Hegel, J. Chowning, C. Cammack. *Row 5*—D. Siders, P. Plant, M. Long, L. Hoover, T. Conrad, T. Lawrence, A. Risher, D. Blanton, B. Daniel, J. Slee, D. Unger. *Row 6*—C. Hollenback, S. Joy, T. Johnson, W. Wilson, C. Sinclair, J. Goff, A. Plough, Y. Shigeta, T. Rice, L. Morrison, C. Martin. *Row 7*—L. Slisher, S. Long, G. Wilson, D. Kerner, D. Kerner, D. Brodbeck, M. Siders, B. Tartar, A. Miracle, D. Kaufman, M. Strange, B. Swanson, Mr. Fuschetto.



Foreign Language club



Pie in the face and paint on the canvas!



Bicentennial murals and imaginative pictures on bulletin boards were painted by the Art club this year. A field trip was taken to Salamonie in the spring and was very enjoyable. This creative club worked very hard and have in many ways made the school more interesting. **Experiment:** raising money for Math and Science club by hitting a teacher in the face with a pie; test reactions. **Need:** one good humored teacher, one pie with whipped cream, one thrower. **Theory:** students will pay money to see

their favorite teacher get hit in the face with a pie. **Results:** students chose Miss Durnbaugh, Iris Tackett was drawn to throw the pie (odds 1:224), good pep session attraction. **After-affects:** Math and Science club raised enough money to take a field trip to Chicago in the spring. Visited: Sears Tower, Museums of Science and Industry, Natural History, Planetarium, Aquarium, and shopping center. **Conclusion:** very successful venture enjoyed by all.

3. Art club members *left to right:* B. Treska, C. Shafer, S. Vandermark, L. Reed, M. Kisner, L. Niccum, V. Lyons, C. Carpenter, S. Lane, D. Blanton, L. Kitchen, R. Crumrine. 4. Math and Science club members *left to right:* C. Aliman, S. Renbarger, C. Knezevich, J. King, K. Anderson, K. Merrick, D. McKenzie. *Row 2—* M. Deeter, J. Hammel, J. Hettmansperger, D. Brodbeck, K. Tiede, R. Good, S. Norman, M. Mast, L. Kneel, J. Pefley, T. Martindale, P. Plant, J. Busch, R. Hegel, R. Richardson, K. Dyson, B. Working, D. Swart, R. Southworth, T. Eilts, J. Dawes, R. Allen, C. Martin, M. Kasamis, B. Ford. *Row 4—* C. Sinclair, D. Dawes, G. Pownell, K. Cammack, D. Sweet, M. Siders, S. Dawes, C. Hammel, J. DeYarmon, A. Miracle, K. Martindale, M. Beals, T. Polk, Mr. Mast. *Row 5—* Mr. Reahard, D. Wilcox, D. Dawes, D. Schuler, D. Unger, S. Kelly, T. Rice, L. Morrison, I. Tackett, J. Stieglitz.

Art club, Math & Science club



Fellowship in FCA, Tri-Hi-Y

The Golden Rule may be a basis for two Christian organizations at NHS. Tri-Hi-Y was involved in many activities. They co-sponsored the Christmas dance and had secret sisters. If one should hear a squeal of delight from a girl's locker it could be the discovery of a gift from a secret sister. Though some didn't "do unto others" it was very successful. Future Christian Athletes (FCA) also encouraged doing unto others in athletics. Sportsmanship was emphasized and certain codes were kept. Each of these organizations help to boost morale and fellowship at NHS.



1. Tri-Hi-Y members left to right; Row 1—B. Yocum, E. McKinley, J. Pefley, K. Tiede, S. Renbarger, C. Knezevich, D. Brodbeck, K. Merrick, S. Metzger, A. Karns. Row 2—W. Holman, C. Dyson, L. Winters, P. Meston, K. Steele, L. Smalley, J. Wasem, K. Anderson, B. Culver, L. Swihart, D. Kochenour, N. Weesner, L. Urschel. Row 3—S. Vandermark, C. Yocum, S. Gaston, P. Miracle, L. Linsburg, D. Patton, D. Swart, J. Deeter, A. Scholes, A. Risher. Row 4—M. Kisner, J. Swope, L. Sausaman, D. Schuler, M. Working, S. Long, P. Hall, B. Benson, B. Anderson, D. Overman. Row 5—K. Dyson, K. Brodbeck, C. Huffman, S. Lane, V. Lyons, L. Frehe, L. Reed, L. Niccum, L. Hoover, T. Conrad, M. Long. Row 6—T. Joy, J. Draper, C. White, S. Joy, T. Johnson, P.

Plant, A. Honeycutt, M. Reahard, C. Owens, C. Sinclair, R. Elrod. Row 7—D. Zinsmeister, D. Norman, L. Morrison, C. Martin, W. Wilson, S. Hite, C. Hobbs, B. Swanson, K. Hefflin, T. Chamberlain, D. Warnock. Row 8—B. Working, K. Shafer, S. Slisner, E. Mouser, P. Plant, J. King, R. Southworth, T. Schuler, T. Elits, R. Allen, A. Brooman, J. Rice. Row 9—L. McIntire, D. Unger, I. Tackett, T. Keppel, L. Slisner, K. Glassburn, J. Dawes, L. Knee, M. Mast. Row 10—D. Siders, L. Bever, L. Pefley, B. Schnepf, C. Gillespie, C. Ventas, B. Olmsstead. 2. FCA members left to right; Row 1—J. Hammel, M. Deeter, S. Norman, R. Good, K. Merrick. Row 2—S. Lane, L. Frehse, D. Gillespie, C. Hammel. Row 3—B. Treska, D. Wilcox, C. Sampson, D. Sweet.

Teach the children well!

Stepping into a teacher's shoes is the job of an exploratory teacher. Students who think they would enjoy teaching go to the grade schools and explore the possibilities. Some may be more careful in the way they treat the faculty as they get a taste of the job!

3. Elementary students watch Ron Metz demonstrate the techniques of basketball, as Ron looks for guidance. 4. Phyllis Plant helps a student with a question. 5. Exploratory teachers for the year were Kelly Merrick, Robin Elrod, Linda Dixon, Phyllis Plant and Ron Metz.



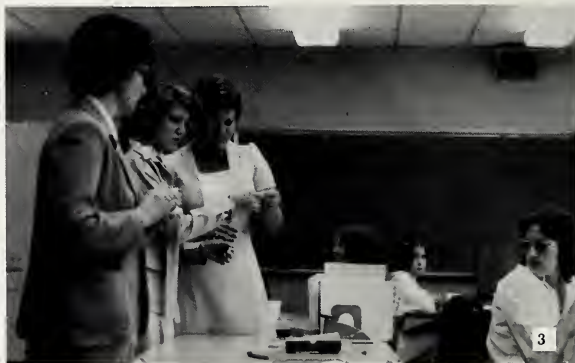


Homemakers at home show

Many FHA activities highlighted the 1975-76 school year. The club invaded the Indianapolis Home Show at the first of the year. They saw many gadgets and a sample home. A plant show was held second semester with a lady from the lovebug showing and describing a variety of plants. A breakfast was held during the last few weeks of school to honor the senior members of the club.



1. FHA—T. Conrad—reporter, D. Zinsmeister—V. Pres., D. Norman—pres., Mrs. Busch, T. Eilts—Treasurer, R. Elrod—sec., C. Baker—program chmn., P. Hall—recreation. Row 2: D. Patton, C. Knezevich, K. Merrick, J. Pefley, P. McCord, C. Learned, B. Working, L. Norman, P. Miracle. Row 3: L. McIntire, C. Sinclair, D. Warnock, I. Tackett, E. Mouser, S. Slisher, J. King, T. Keppel, S. Gaston. Row 4: R. Crumrine, S. Wilson, L. Niccum, L. Reed, B. Benson, T. Dangerfield, L. Hoover, B. Anderson, D. Overman. Row 5: K. Cautchie, D. Kelly, M. Alexander, M. Working, A. Scholes. 2. Mrs. Busch gives sewing advice to Robin Elrod and Cindy Baker. 3. Many girls enjoyed the Senior breakfast with rolls and juice.



4 teams go to state

This year's FFA membership totalled 95. 1975 president Dan Dawes lead them to National achievements never before won by our local chapter. The chapter received a national bronze emblem plaque based upon total excellence of their activities. There are eleven major areas the chapter conducted activities in and were evaluated upon.

1. The livestock judging team who evaluates beef, swine, and sheep, will be in the state contest in June after proving their excellence this year by winning two trophies. Dan Dawes is not pictured. 2. With Bill Simpson leading the way the crops judging team won the county contest and placed 3rd in the district. They will compete in the state contest in June. 3. The ability to grade eggs, rank dressed birds as to their quality, and place laying hens, are the skills of this state bound poultry judging team. Terry Skaggs not pictured. 4. Six young men from the NHS chapter were out of the 200 of the 10,000 members from the Indiana Association to receive the recognition of Hoosier Farmers. Their achievements are based upon completion of home projects for experience and profit in agriculture. Dan Dawes not pictured. 5. Identification of the 50 trees of Indiana and their seeds is a must for the students in forestry judging. They will compete in the state contest in June.





Honor Society invades Notre Dame



The Fighting Irish met with the mighty Norse when the National Honor Society took a field trip to Notre Dame. The new members were inducted in the fall. The qualifications for membership in the honor society is a B+ grade average for juniors and a B for seniors. Attitudes and class and school participation are also taken into consideration.

Honor Society members *left to right*: S. Metzger, D. Dawes, M. Siders, D. Brodbeck, J. Stieglitz, K. Dyson, K. Tiede, L. Winters, C. Knezevich, Y. Shigeta. *Row 2—*D. Yentes, J. Hettmansperger, J. Hammel, M. Deeter, D. Kochenour, S. Renbarger, T. Rice, C. Martin, L. Morrison, D. Warnock, R. Elrod, T. Chamberlain, D. Schuler, I. Tackett. *Row 3—*S. Kelly, S. Norman, L. Urschel, K. Merrick, D. Kerner, J. Chowning, M. Strange, K. Anderson, L. Smalley, L. S. ihart, M. Meston, M. Kasamis. 2. The new members wait patiently to be inducted at the school convo. 3. Mark Siders places the stole on Jeff Hammel while Kent Smith helps.





One may get the impression that the only thing student council does is get out of class, this is incorrect. Though they work behind the scenes, student council is responsible for many things we enjoy. They sponsored Homecoming and co-sponsored the Sweetheart dance. There are monthly meetings with the administration to represent the students. They had an exchange day with Wabash High School and supervised 6th grade orientation.

Student council members *left to right*: K. Anderson, D. Swart, D. Patton, M. Mast, L. Sausaman, C. Dyson. *Row 2*—M. Deeter, S. Norman, C. Sampson, M. Meston, K. Brodbeck, D. Kochenour. *Row 3*—C. Allman, B. Schnepf, D. Winters, L. Bever, K. Dyson, B. Treska. *Row 4*—D. Sweet, L. Allen, G. Dangerfield, K. Dawes. 4. Miss Carber, left, does a great deal of work with the student council besides helping Mr. Royer, right, in the guidance department. 5. Student body president, Steve Norman, secretary, Kaverta Anderson, and vice-president, Bob Treska accept the bicentennial freedom shrine.



Student Council sponsors variety of dances





Colorful Culture Combination

Reading is a pastime that many people enjoy. The school library provides books for students of every kind and reference materials. Ten students served as student librarians during the 1975-76 school year. The library club is responsible for innumerable tasks and handles them well. The library could not function without them. For the first time, our club has members in the Indiana Student Media Association. The members work hard and have fun at the same time.

With the coming of the nation's bicentennial celebration the *Nu Chi Sigma*, (or Northfield Historical Club), was founded. The following officers were elected for the 1976 term. President, Dan Dawes; Vice-Pres. Mike Kasamis; Sec. Kavena Anderson; Treas. Mike Deeter; corresponding Sec. Laura Smalley and Karla Steele. The club sponsored such activities as bicentennial minutes each week and a field trip to historically oriented Conner Prairie farm near Nobleville, Ind.

Library Club members Row 1—T. Rice, J. Crist, J. Bonhoff, Cheryl Hollenback. Row 2—M. Alexander, Mrs. VanElls, D. Kaufman, J. Grogg, B. Helvy, Mrs. Hollenback. *Nu Chi Sigma* members: C. Learned, P. McCord, S. Renbarger, D. Patton, L. Linsburg, D. Swart, J. King, J. Pelly, K. Merrick, B. Working, K. Anderson, P. Plant, L. Smalley, K. Steele, J. Wasem, T. Chamberlain, S. Slisher, E. Mouser. Row 2—C. Knezevich, C. Baker, E. McKinnley, S. Dawes, K. Tiede, L. Slisher, K. Glassburn, D. Wamock, T. Keppel, J. Stouffer, I. Tackett, D. Unger, D. Schuler, D. Kochenour, P. Meston. Row 3—J. Johnson, M. Skaggs, T. Skaggs, B. Frehse, J. Hettmansperger, D. Dawes, M. Kasamis, M. Deeter, K. Kelly, D. Schuster, J. Bonhoff, J. Chowning, T. Martindale, K. Martindale, M. Beals, M. Haupt.



Large variety; jr. high clubs

Jr. High art club *left to right*: Mr. Groover, D. Sealy, L. SESCO, D. Swart, M. Getz. *Row 2*—C. Palmer, D. Norwood, D. Norman, T. Shambaugh, J. Tiede, P. Plant, D. Dawes, T. Baber, M. Meyer. *Row 3*—M. Judy, R. Treska, R. Elzroth, V. Clay, L. Judy, S. Harris, P. Woodward, K. Kelly, D. Kopis. *Row 4*—A. McKillip, B. Deeter, L. Sweet, C. Long, C. Deeter, J. Rees, S. Smith, R. Kramer, B. Flott, L. Hipsher, T. Yocum. *Row 5*—M. Loshier, P. Patton, J. Minnear, L. Hantleman, S. Smith, D. Owens, K. Frieden, M. Ferrie, J. Stein. *Row 6*—L. Kitchen, N. Yentes, K. Tiede, C. Alford, M. Snively, D. Wagner.



Jr. High FHA *left to right*—J. Christie, L. Martindale, S. George, M. Winters, T. Conrad, A. Clark, L. Hipsher, S. Schenkel, L. Guttrich, C. Carver. *Row 2*—L. Green, M. Loshier, R. Chamberlain, N. Lane, D. Dawes, P. Plant, D. Swart, M. Getz, M. Lucas, V. Prater, N. Yentes, D. Shepherd. *Row 3*—D. Baber, R. Patton, J. Minnear, M. Myer, J. Stein, T. Wilson, L. Hantleman, L. Deturk, C. Alexander, L. Beals. *Row 4*—L. Enzer, C. Hewitt, D. Miller, A. Good, B. Ford, D. Gautshi, T. Skaggs, J. Lee, B. Borelli, J. Dyson. *Row 5*—L. Long, T. Frehse, B. Bolin, T. Wilson, P. Staton, K. Schaff, M. Grey, S. Long, R. Slisher.



Jr. High FFA *left to right*: D. Kopis, R. Treska, L. Judy, J. Crist, M. Schuler, S. Richardson, Mr. Steele. *Row 2*—E. Ringel, B. Norman, S. Smith, S. Harris, T. Wuench, R. Griffey, D. Metzger, D. Griffey. *Row 3*—R. Ogan, B. Baker, M. Hoover, L. Carver, G. Trump, S. Bowman, R. Biehl, T. Odell, E. Sinclair. *Row 4*—F. Haron, R. Bower, D. Seeley, M. Judy, M. Richardson, A. Mead, T. Hoppes, R. Kline, D. Harrell, L. Blair. *Row 5*—T. Krom, K. Dawes, T. Bower, M. Shuler, J. Southworth, S. VanMeter, T. Thompson, R. Azbell, B. Allman, J. Dyson.



Jr. High Model Club *left to right*: S. VanMeter, T. Thompson, E. Miracle, J. Crist, D. Honeycutt, S. Smith, V. Clay, B. Norman, E. Ringel, W. Niverson, D. Joy. *Row 2*—M. Hoover, L. Wrisk, D. Nelson, R. Cameron, R. Elzroth, C. Winterrowd, C. McClean, D. Griffey, Mr. Norman. *Row 3*—S. Richardson, M. Schuler, L. Blare, L. Carver, R. Biehl, D. Warford, B. Eltzroth, M. Buchanan. *Row 4*—C. Chittick, J. Agee, J. West, M. Richardson, R. Bowers, D. Selley, B. Faust, D. Sessley.



Jr. High Science Club *left to right*: R. Flott, D. Kopis, S. VanMeter, R. Cameron, B. Norman, L. Wrisk, C. Winterrowd, W. Niverson. *Row 2*—D. Nelson, D. Metzger, K. Dawes, T. Dawes, T. Denari, D. Singer, D. Griffey. *Row 3*—R. Treska, D. Sparling, M. Carol.



1. A lot of Big Blue spirit was roused by the *Junior Varsity*: Left to right, Cheri Yocum, Sherri Long, Linda Sausaman, Lynn Pelley. 2. *Seventh grade cheerleaders*: front, Lori Sweet, Teri Simpson, Danette Norman, Julie Rees show spirit in their first year. 3. Pep and pizzas were top qualities of the *Freshmen cheerleaders*. Top, Carla Boyer, Sharri Herron, Rosie Kramer, Rita Arrick. 4. Big smiles were characteristics of the *eighth grade pep squad*. Bottom, Nora Yantes, Patty Plant, Diane Swart, Marti Getz. 5. *Varsity Cheerleaders*, front to back, Missy Mast, Amy Vrooman, Kris Shafer, Laura Urschel, Kelly Merrick were full of enthusiasm, spirit and leadership.



Cheerleaders Sparkle and Sport Spirit



A smile, a few movements, one or two cheers and a uniform; that is what makes up a cheerleader. Many people have that impression and it is wrong. The Northfield cheerleaders are more than just the girls one sees cheering in front of the crowd at the games. Each of the squads practice quite a bit after school inventing and perfecting the cheers one sees. Much work is put into organizing the pep sessions. Candy on the lockers, locker room decorations, cheerblock, and slots are just a few of the extras done by the squads.

These girls kept smiling; while cheering in all kinds of weather, goofing up a cheer, riding a fan bus $3\frac{1}{2}$ in a seat, riding the players bus, cheering for five people at an away game, and even when the team was behind and everyone else had given up hope. A tremendous amount of spirit was shown this year and these girls are a great representation.



Clap & Cheer

Hope & Fear

The stomping, screaming, yelling, clapping, and even singing that one hears at basketball games is invariably coming from the cheerblock. A home game would not be the same without these girls' enthusiasm and spirit encouraging the players. Time and energy are contributed to the cause of school spirit by the cheerblock members. Anxiety, anticipation, pride, elation, woe and jubilation are just some of the emotions felt by these girls. They practice, dress alike, attend the home games, and work like a team almost as much as the guys on the floor.



1. The cheerblock reacts to a disappointing moment during the Southwood basketball game. 2. Cheerblock members: left to right, 1st row: A. Vrooman, K. Shafer, K. Merrick, M. Mast, L. Sausaman, L. Pelly, S. Long, C. Yocum. 2nd row: T. Keaffaber, A. Karns, S. Metzger, D. Hively, M. McKelvey, D. Kochenour, K. Tiede, C. Baker, L. Dixon, C. Knezevich, D. Brodbeck, J. Pelly. 3rd row: K. Dyson, P. Haupt, M. Joy, P. Elzroth, K. Anderson, D. Swart, J. Wasem, B. Culver, N. Wessner, L. Swihart, S. Renbarger, J. King. 4th row: T. Johnson, R. Allen, M. Dawes, T. Eilts, R. Southworth, B. Working, P. Plant, L. Norman, D. Zinsmeister, S. Slisher, L. Linsburg, D. Patton. 5th row: L. Knee, N. Dale, K. Dyson, K. Brodbeck, P. Plant, S. Vandermark, T. Joy, M. Kisner, K. Heflin, D. Warnock, L. Morrison, I.

Tackett. 6th row: M. Long, L. Freshe, S. Lane, C. White, J. Draper, D. Siders, L. Bever, J. Deeter, T. Harrington, L. Slisher, K. Glassburn, T. Chamberlain. 7th row: C. Bonhoff, R. Chowning, R. Chamberlain, S. Weesner, K. Hentgen, B. Anderson, P. Hall, B. Benson, C. Yentes, C. Huffman, C. Hollenback, S. Joy. 8th row: C. Palmer, T. Freshe, M. Shaw, D. Norman, T. Metz, R. Mowery, C. Palmer, R. Crumrine, N. Elzroth, L. Hoover, B. Olmstead, B. Schnepf. 9th row: R. Slisher, K. Daniels, S. Riley, T. Wilson, M. Lukas, C. Lane, L. Chamberlain, L. Kitchen, M. Daugherty, M. Alexander, D. Stein. 10th row: B. Bolin, M. Winters, L. SESCO, S. Long, M. Grey, J. Dock, B. Butson, L. Wright, C. Kasamis, R. Arrick. 11th row: T. Harrold, D. Shepherd, L. Driscoll.



Organizations have success

Bible Club had its successful debut this year. Students met, discussed subjects and listened to reading from the Bible. N-club raised approximately \$1,500 this

year by the lift-a-thon, participated in by both students and teachers.

1. Bible club members: on the floor, B. Working, C. Knezevich, J. King, K. Anderson, S. Renbarger. Row 1 on bleachers—J. Pefley, L. Slisher, B. Yocum, D. Winters, L. Hoover, C. White, K. Dyson, T. Yentes. Row 2—K. Merrick, D. Schuler, M. Strange, D. Unger, I. Tackett, K. Glassburn, K. Brodbeck, T. Lawrence. Row 3—D. Brodbeck, M. Siders, R. Weaver, W. Wilson, T. Chamberlain, R. Elrod, D. Stein, G. Wilson, D. Kerner. Row 4—J. Hettmansperger, J. Johnson. 2. N-club

members—Row 1—left to right R. Favorite, M. Driscoll, D. Shepherd, J. Hammel, C. Krom, J. France, M. Siders, R. Metz, J. Loehnis, D. Yentes, J. Hettmansperger, M. Eller. Row 2—B. Swan, K. Baer, D. Carr, J. Slee, B. Frehse, D. Dawes, C. Sampson, G. Pownall, L. Unger, J. Carpenter, J. Johnson, C. Hammel. Row 3—D. Gillespie, S. Gill, T. Tully, B. Ford, K. Martindale, G. Bickhart, R. Good, T. Martindale, D. Devore, M. Hauptert, K. Kelly. Row 4—B. Baker, C. Shafer, M. Karamis, M. Beals, T. Raver, C. Young. Row 5—C. Gillespie, J. Rice, K. Tiede, K. Merrick, J. Dawes, R. Allen, T. Johnson, D. Siders, L. Frehse, B. Olmstead.



There are four clubs that vocational students can join. They are DECA (Distributive Education Clubs of America), FFA (Future Farmers of America), OEA (Office Education Association), and VICA (Vocational Industrial Clubs of America). Many students get involved in these clubs and they provide many activities.

3. VICA—Row 1—R. Good, P. Meston. Row 2—J. France, D. Gouvan. 4. DECA—Row 1—R. Hall, M. Steele, R. Favorite, J. Wasem, L. Smalley, K. Steele, T. Keaffaber, J. Miller. Row 2—R. Robinson, B. Burnsworth, L. Winters, D. Schuster, D. Zinsmeister, S. Slisner, C. Baker, S. Hawkins. Row 3—L. Smalley, R. Leach, D. Barlow, C. Fox, M. Bidwell, S. Sanders, B. Hall, J. Crist. 5. OEA—Row 1—A. Risher, D. Patton, D. Hively, S. Hawkins, A. Scholes. Row 2—P. Waldon, L. Linsburg, B. Culver, L. Swihart, L. Smalley, K. Steele. Row 3—J. Wasem, N. Weesner.



Norsettes provide variety and entertainment

With flashes of red, white, blue, and silver the three Norsette squads added color and variety to the marching band during the summer and half-time shows. The Pom Pom squad contained 12 girls, these girls performed quite a bit during the football and basketball seasons. Bobbysocks, pigtailed, hats and canes were some of the gimmicks used to add flavor to the routines.

The Flags consisted of five girls, flags, and precision and skill. The bright blue and white flags contributed to the marching band and were easy to see on the football field.

Nine girls with sparkling silver costumes, swords and shields made up the new group this year, the Shields. The Norseman theme was carried out well by these girls and the new group proved to be a successful endeavor.

Batons whirling through the air were caught and twirled by two girls who helped to make the band a complete unit.

The Norseman theme was also carried out by the majorette who did a good job of directing and keeping the band together.



1. Pom pom: clockwise, D. Patton, V. Lyons, D. Winters, P. Plant, K. Anderson, L. Dixon, S. Metzger, C. Knezevich, J. Wasem, D. Swart, D. Kochenour, T. Simpson, (not pictured). 2. Shields: left to right, K. Dyson, L. Wilhelm, K. Bordbeck, L. Beals, C. Hollenback, B. Schnepf, T. Lawrence, C. Bohnhoff, T. Driscoll, C. Huggman. 3. Linda Dixon and Tina Simpson "rock around the clock." 4. Flags: clockwise, S. Joy, L. Frehse, P. Plant, L. Linsburg, B. Yocum. 5. Kathy Dyson, the "Norsewoman" leading the band. 6. Lori Knee and Modena Kinsner are a good baton duo.



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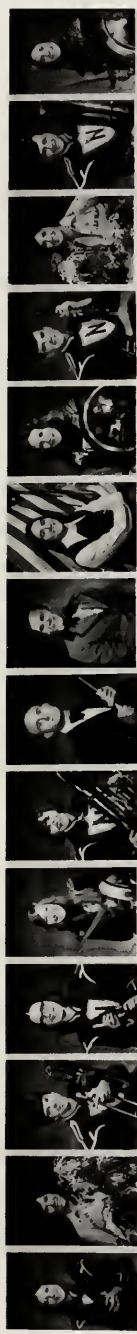


Band—Instrumental in many ways

Tucked behind the chorus room and next to the auditorium is the band room. Not only does this class keep the study halls entertained but they march in summer parades and provide the half-time show for the home football games. A large variety of instruments are played by the students. Spring and Winter concerts are given during throughout the year and they compete in various other programs. The marching band did quite well in parades this summer. Band is a fun and learning class.

1. 1976 band members *left to right*: Row 1—B. Cartwright, S. Metzger, M. Waggoner, J. Stee, T. Lawrence, T. Joy, Mr. Trump, D. Kemner, S. Kelly, C. Huffman, K. Clepper, C. Kruzevich, R. Richardson, K. Brodbeck, Row 2—T. Polk, L. Slisher, A. Karns, D. Schuler, K. Glassburn, D. Kelley, R. Allen, B. Yocum, Row 3—D. Hively, C. Gillespie, K. Anderson, L. Bever, D. Patton, P. Patton, D. Dawes, M. Daugherty, L. Dixon, J. Draper, Row 4—K. Haupt, D. Stein, K. Kochenour, K. Dyson, E. McKinley, K. Gantch, R. Elrod, L. Freese, K. Dyson, W. Holman, D. Swart, M. Haupt, C. Hollenback, C. Yocum, Row 5—K. Helin, D. Niccum, T. Driscoll, L. Linsburg, K. Kelley, R. Lewis, L. Kree, M. Kiser, M. McKelvy, J. Loehms, V. Lyons, S. Kline, L. Pettley, T. Driscoll, P. Plant, P. Plant, L. Whitman, T. Rich, M. Prater, D. Winters, S. Renbarger, Row 7—A. Risher, B. Schniepp, D. Siders, D. Brodbeck, T. Simpson, C. Yenter, C. Bonhoff, K. Teede, L. Beads, D. Hipsley, C. Carpenter, L. Snider, 2. Marching band is a big part of band as is the half-time shows at the home football games.

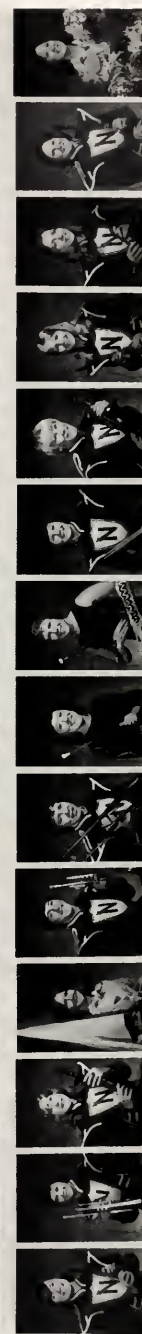
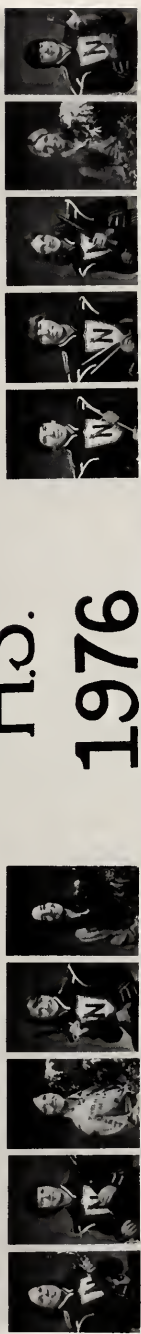
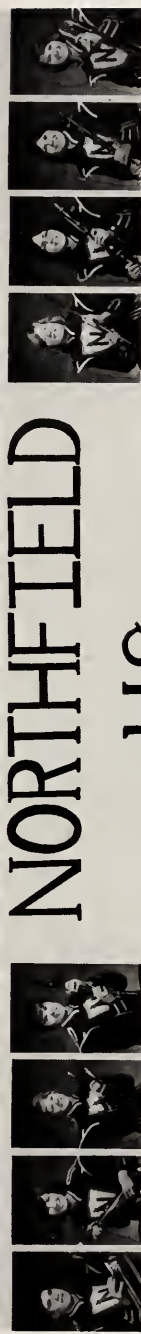




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Swing choir & chorus make merry music

Situated at the far end of the school and drowned out by the band and the study hall are the sweet voices in the chorus room. Both the freshman and varsity choir have class every day. They learn many songs both pop and older songs. They sing at the Spring concert and also a concert which is solely made up of the choirs.

1. First row: R. SESCO, J. Agee, S. Wagner, C. Bohnhoff, T. Blanke, L. Young, C. Palmer. Row 2: D. McKenzie, L. Caston, R. Arrick, J. Antrim, B. Daniel, L. Beals, L. Wilhelm, T. Helvey. Row 3: K. Monce, J. Kellem, L. Haupt, S. Kline, T. Rogers, D. Slater, T. Hosier, Miss O'Haver. 2. Row 1: A. Plough, T. Neal, M. Reahard, C. Durk, G. Wilson, T. McKinney, M. Alexander, B. Baker, D. Gillespie, B. Swan, S. Wilson, C. Hicks, A. Honeycutt, R. Leach. Row 2: J. Goff, K. Hentgen, T. Miracle, J. Tompson, S. Sanders, G. Young, C. Sampson, K. Kelly, M. Strange, R. Weaver, E. McKinley, T. Reahard, T. Conrad, N. Eltzroth. Row 3: Miss O'Haver, F. Williams, B. Hall, L. Snider, G. Fox, J. Shepherd, C. Hamel, J. Stieglitz, J. Chowning, D. Unger, P. Haupt, V. Hite, P. Eltzroth.





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One type of music is provided by the Swing Choir. This organization consists of 19 members who dance and sing in various programs. This versatile group has performed at Honeywell Center, nursing homes, and went Christmas Caroling. At NHS they sang at the Christmas convo and the Pops Concert. The year's finale was a party at Miss O'Haver's.



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3. The Christmas convo filled the gym with joyous voices. 4. Swing choir members *first row*: K. Dyson, R. Elrod, G. Wilson, T. Harrington, T. Neal, D. Warnock, D. Unger, T. Reahard. *Row 2*: D. Kerner, D. Gillespie, R. Lewis, C. Sampson. *Row 3*: B. Baker, K. Kelly, I. Tackett, L. Snider, J. Chowning, C. Hammel. 4. 8th grade choir *first row*: T. Conrad, K. Frieden, M. Loshier, M. Neal, D. Harvey, D. Wagner, J. Stien, L. Hipsher, V. Prater, C. Alred, M. Snavelly, V. Kellems. *Row 2*: L. Majors, L. Deturk, M. Ferrie, T. Yocum, K. Tiede, T. Deeter, A. Breedlove, T. Wilson, C. Alexander, S. Dutton, J. Lee, D. Smedley, L. Ireland. *Row 3*: Miss O'Haver, S. Swihart, L. Hantelman, D. Baber, D. Kopis, M. Carroll, K. Dilling, T. Conrad, R. Patton, R. Ford, A. Good, D. Dawes, S. George, P. Plant.



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“Off and on” happenings “amplified” the year

One—two—one two ready go! The gym is filled with music and once again basketball fans can tap their toes to the stage band. These talented band students are not just limited to playing at basketball games. They accompanied the fall play, played for the winter concert and entertained many at the annual Pops Concert. A large variety of music is played; “Love Will Keep Us Together”, “Can’t Take My Eyes Off of You”, and “St. Louis Blues”.

1. Stage Band members *left to right*; Row 1—C. Yentes, D. Dawes, R. Elrod, B. Hauptert, C. Cautchi, C. Hollenback, D. Brodbeck, J. Loehnis. Row 2—D. Kerner, B. Terrell, S. Renbuger, D. Hively, M. Hauptert. Row 3—M. Wagonner, R. Lewis, A. Karns, K. Kelly, J. Draper, T. Johnson, K. Dyson, D. Hipsher. 2. Rock around the gym with the stage band!





Jr. high band work & play

Whether you are a tuba puffer, a drum banger or a trumpet blaster, it has to start somewhere; the band room is a good place! Many students are in junior high band and learn the do's and don'ts in harmony, note reading, and performance. Performances were given in the Winter and Spring concerts. These students will be molded into musicians and move up into the varsity band and march throughout the summer.

Jr. high band *left to right*: Row 1—C. Hewitt, D. Norman, T. Shambaugh, J. Draper, J. Minnear, D. Swart, D. Gautchi. Row 2—C. Renbarger, M. Carr, S. Rice, J. Christie, J. Tiede, C. Long, C. Deeter, J. Rees, L. Allen, L. Cuttrich, C. Palmer, M. Shaw, R. Slisher. Row 3—J. Stevens, M. Miller, N. Stefanatos, K. Foster, J. Stevens, T. Hampton, D. Dyson, D. Singer, J. Mowry, M. Lucas, D. Hoover, N. Yentes, R. Engleman, E. Sinclair, M. Schuler, J. Lawrence. Row 4—Mr. Walke, S. Long, D. Kopp, P. Staton, R. Reahard, L. Kitchen, B. Elrod, S. Schenkel, W. Schultz, G. Trump.



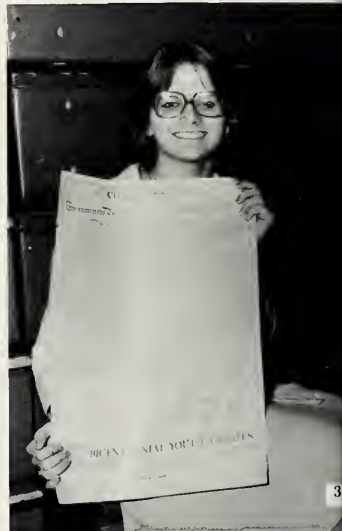
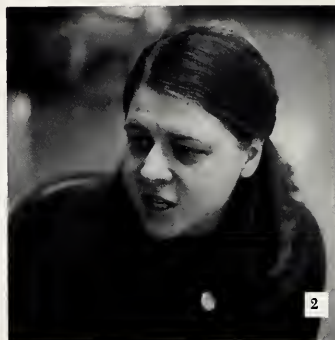
Mighty Mouths talk a victory

They thought Big ... they thought Blue ... and they strove to be #1. The Morse Mighty Mouths marked up the most successful season in the ten year history of the team. In October, the team was made a charter team by the National Forensic League. Placing 5th in a field of 37 schools at Southwood, started a series of wins which led to six team members competing in the regional. D. Kerner, J. Chowning, and D. Gillespie represented the team at state. The team also had four District finalists. A super season in '77 is in store with seven sweep-stake trophies in the case and an outstanding season on the record books.

4. 1st row: left to right, Miss Deem, K. Dyson, K. Brobeck, J. Chowning, D. Brodbeck, K. Dyson, I. Tackett, S. Galley, R. Weaver, R. Lewis, Miss Durnbaugh. 2nd row: L. Bever, D. Swart, B. Yocum, S. Metzger, L. Morrison, T. Rice, D. Warnock, B. Baber. 3rd row: M. Skaggs, J. Johnson, D. Gillespie, L. Snider, D. Stein. 4th row: C. White, D. Hipsher, C. Wilson. 5th row: L. Pefley, D. Kerner.



1. Look A Here—Randy's No. 1 in the Conservation Speaking Contest. 2. Mom says, "when the going gets tough, the tough get going." 3. Becky beams as she brings home alternate in the State Bicentennial Youth Debate.





Drama—behind the scenes...

"Simply Simon" was not as simple as it looked. The Drama Club put a lot of work into it. Members were also involved in the spring musical, "Once Upon a Mattress." The club ventured on a field trip this year to East Noble High School's production of "George M." Members plunged into crew work such as lighting, costumes, make-up, publicity and even acting and singing. Talents were discovered backstage as well as on the stage. Much effort and hard work is contributed by the members and their reward is a job well done.

5. Row 1: L to R, R. Weaver, D. Niccum, B. Yocum, K. Dyson, R. Elrod, J. King, K. Anderson, D. Swart, B. Working, D. Kockenour, S. Renbarger. Row 2: S. Metzger, R. Lewis, M. Siders, D. Brodbeck, C. Knezevich, I. Tackett, L. Morrison, T. Rice, D. Warnock, C. Martin, A. Plough, M. Strange. Row 3: K. Kelly, L. Snider, K. Hefflin, D. Unger, B. Swanson, C. Sinclair, J. Johnson, A. Risher, A. Scholes, L. Hoover, B. Olmstead, C. Gillespie, B. Schnepf. Row 4: D. Kerner, G. Wilson, K. Dyson, K. Brodbeck, C. White, S. Lane, P. Plant, L. Pefley, J. Chowning, M. Skaggs, C. Yentes, L. Knee. Row 5: L. Bever, D. Siders, T. Johnson, J. Deeter, B. Treska. 6. Tackett tackles another target.



North Star is imaginative

The people who are seen monthly roaming around the cafeteria with glass in hand asking for money are not beggars, they are selling the North Star. In this journalistic effort are many columns appealing to all types of students. Some regulars were Demons and Dogs, Senior Jive, Julie King's editorial. Some special features were Senior polls, Senior wills, the sectional and Homecoming writeups. Tammy Eilts a junior has been selected as next year's editor and will attend Indiana University Newspaper workshop.



1. North Star staff left to right: T. Swanson, L. Sweet, D. Swart, B. Working, J. King, K. Merrick, D. Swart. Row 2—K. Shafer, E. Mouser, L. Urshel, J. Peffley, C. White, L.

Dixon, K. Tiede, F. Williams, K. Kelly, T. Eilts, B. Swanson, T. Keppel, R. Lewis, J. Bonhoff. Row 3—M. Skaggs, C. Krom, R. Metz, M. Siders, J. Loehnis, D. Dawes, P.

Plant. 2. Julie King, Teresa Keppel, and Faith Williams, type away to meet deadlines. 3. A lot of preparation goes into the North Star as shown in this picture. 4. Looks like the North Star makes headlines.

Super Shield!

Though famous for its parties, games, and interior decorating, the shield room had another purpose; the yearbook is put together there. Hurdling obstacles like: trying to draw up layouts with no pictures and writing copy without information, Caroline Knezevich and Shelly Renbarger managed to meet deadlines. Shelly was in charge of layouts and Caroline handled copy. Together they made many decisions, such as choosing the theme "A Different Drummer."

5. Mrs. Kitt, Shelly, and Caroline—the terrible trio. 6. Beth Olmstead does her job handing out books. 7. Dan Hipsher says, "peek-a-boo!" 8. Shield staff from left to right: T. Polk, M. Prater, J. Chowning, S. Renbarger, C. Knezevich, D. Brodbeck, K. Merrick, J. Pefly, M. Mast, L. Kneel, T. Schuler. Row 2—L. Snyder, J. Bonhoff, D. Hipsher, D. Patton, L. Linburg, J. Wasem, K. Anderson, D. Swart, B. Olmstead, I. Tackett, D. Unger, C. Martin. Row 3—M. Siders, R. Lewis, L. Bever, L. Pefley, C. Huffman, V. Lyones, J. King, D. Dawes, P. Plant, R. Elrod, K. Shafer, B. Working. Row 4—R. Metz, D. Dawes, P. Plant, D. Swart, L. Beals, C. Bonhoff, T. Eilts, R. Southworth, W. Holman, C. Dyson, S. Vandermark. Row 5—J. Coff, R. Ogan, R. Weaver, K. Eilts, L. Sweet, M. Reahard, S. Hite, F. Williams, T. Keppel, T. Neal.





Whether you sing in the shower, make faces in the mirror, skip down the hall, talk to yourself, wear weird clothes, sleep upside down, listen to Chopin, eat cookie dough, tap dance or any other crazy things, it is part of you—an individual. Just like snowflakes, there are no two people alike. Everyone has their flaws, assets and quirks. It is necessary for each person to develop their character and aim toward their goals. The easiest way to be special is to be “yourself.” There are many things in life that occupy our time and energy such as friends, family, work, and recreation. Pleasing others and doing what is necessary is a big job. People need some time to themselves to develop their characters and do what they want. Give yourself a treat; occasionally be crazy, indulge your cravings with culture, a root beer or whatever else. On the next few pages there are a lot of people. It is not the easiest thing in the world to be individualistic but take the plunge; don’t get lost in the crowd.

INDIVIDUALS



The dawn has brought us thus far;

Joy, relief, accomplishment, and sentiment are just a few of the feelings a senior experiences during his last year of high school. Aside from the fact 1976 is distinguished by the Bicentennial, many other things made it special: Pat Meston and Randy Good as Homecoming Queen and King, football, basketball, Senior Cords, fifties day, dances, pep sessions, parties, field trips, lunch, Gov./Econ. and more than just the three R's. Friends, faculty and fun times will remain in each individual's memory for a long time.

Senior class officers: clockwise, Sharon Metzger-treas., Shelly Renbarger-V. Pres., LuAnn Swihart-Sec., Debbie Kochenour-Pres.



Jack Adams

Fred Anderson

Boy's cheerblock 3,4; Intramurals 2; VICA 3,4; Wrestling 1,2.

Kayena R. Anderson

Bible Club 2,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 3,4; FHA 1,2; Foreign Language Club 3; GAA 1,2; History Club 4; Math and Science Club 3,4; National Honor Society; Norsettes 3,4; Shield 3,4; Student Council 1,2,3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Lucinda M. Baker

Art Club 1,2; Cheerblock 1,4; FHA 1,2,3,4; GAA 2,3,4; History Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3; VICA 3,4.

William A. Baker

Greg P. Bickhart

FCA 3; Golf 3,4; Intramurals 3,4; N-Club 4.

James H. Bonhoff

Art Club 1,2,3,4; Bible Club 4; Drama Club 4; Foreign Language Club 4; History Club 4; Library Club 2,3,4; North Star 4; Shield 1,2,3,4.

Tammy Bone

OEA 4.

David A. Bowman

Art Club 1,2; FFA 1,2,3,4.



where will the sunset find us.



Teresa L. Boyer
Kurt A. Brackenhamer
DECA 4; FFA 1,2,3; VICA 3,4.

Debra J. Brodbeck
Band 1,2,3,4; Bible Club 4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3,4; Math and Science Club 4; National Honor Society 3,4; North Star 3; Shield 3,4; Speech 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.



Bill J. Burnsworth
Art Club 1,2,3,4; Boy's Cheerblock 2; FCA 3; Football 1,2; Shield 2,3; Track 1,2,3,4.

James P. Clarkson
Richard L. Collins
Intramural basketball 2,3; Track 2,3.



Robert E. Collins
Art Club 1,2,3; Band 1,2; Basketball 1; Boy's Cheerblock 3; FCA 2,3; FFA 1; Foreign Language Club 2; Intramurals 2,3,4; N-club 3,4; Track 1,2.

Robert D. Corn
Basketball 1,2,3; FFA 1,2,3; Intramurals 4; Spanish Club.
Sara Kline Cripe



Brenda J. Culver
Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,2; Foreign Language Club 2; Math & Science Club 3; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4; OEA 4.

Pamela S. Curtis
Cheerblock 3,4.
Tome E. Curtis
Art Club 2,3; Boy's Cheerblock 3; Intramurals 3; VICA 3; Wrestling 4.



Debbie Daniels
Rowena D. Davidson
Art Club 1,2; Cheerblock 3,4; Chorus 2,3,4; FHA 1,2,3; VICA 4.

Dan A. Davis

Seniors . . . Seniors . . . Seniors . . . Seniors

Dan D. Dawes

Band 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 3,4; FCA 3; FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1; History Club 4; Math and Science Club 4; N-Club 4; North Star 4; National Honor Society 3,4; Shield 4; Stage Band 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4.

Mike C. Deeter

Basketball 1,3; FCA 3,4; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3; Golf 2,3,4; History Club 4; Intramurals 2,4; Math & Science 3,4; National Honor Society 4; Student Council 3,4.

Gary L. DeVore

Band 1,2; Basketball 1; DECA 4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2; N-Club 2,3.

Linda Dixon

Band 1,2; Bible Club 4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; FFA 3; FHA 4; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3; History Club 4; National Honor Society 3,4; North Star 4; Norettes 1,2,3,4; Student Council 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4; Volleyball 2.

Matt F. Driscoll

FCA 3; FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; N-Club 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 3,4.

Kathy S. Dyson

Band 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Choir 4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Drum major 4; GAA 1; Math and Science Club 1,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Speech Team 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 2,3,4; Swing Choir 2,3,4; Thespians 3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 3.

Mark Dyson

Mike K. Dyson

Mark E. Eller

Basketball 1; FCA 3,4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 2,3,4; N-Club 2,3,4; Track 1,3; Wrestling 2,3,4.

Randy J. Favorite

Art Club 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; FCA 4; Football 3,4; N-Club 3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3; Track 1,2; Wrestling 1,2,3,4.

Jerry A. France

Art Club 1,2,3; FCA 3; FFA 2,3; Football 1,2,3,4; N-Club 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Wrestling 2,3,4.

Barbara J. Gagnon

Susan D. Gaston

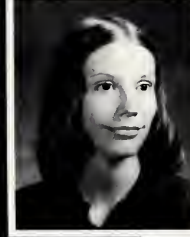
Cheerblock 1,2; FHA 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4; VICA 4.

Thomas E. Gidley

Boy's cheerblock 2,3; VICA 4.

Randall R. Good

Art Club 1; Boy's cheerblock 2,3; DECA 4; FCA 3,4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 2,3,4; Math & Science Club 2,3,4; N-Club 3,4; Track 1,2,4; Wrestling 1,2,3,4.



Seniors ... Seniors ... Seniors ... Seniors



Dennis F. Gouvan
Football 2; Track 1,2.

Ronald L. Hall
VICA 4.

Jeff L. Hammel
Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; FCA 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Foreign Languages Club 4; Golf 2; Math & Science Club 4; N-Club 4.

Brian K. Harrell
FFA 2.

Peggy A. Haupt
Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Choir 2,3,4; GAA 2; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.
Sandy S. Hawkins
Art Club 3,4; Foreign Language Club 1; OEA 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Jay T. Hettmansperger
Baseball 1,2; Basketball 1; Bible Club 4; Boy's cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 4; FCA 3; FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1; Foreign Language Club 2; History Club 4; Intramural 2,3; Math & Science Club 4; National Honor Society 4; N-Club 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 2,3,4.

Debra L. Hively
Band 1,2,3; Cheerblock 4; FHA 1; GAA 1; OEA 4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Marisue Joy
Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; VICA 4.

April D. Korns
Band 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Foreign Language Club 2,3,4; GAA 1; Stage band 3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4; Track 4.

Tina M. Keaffaber
Art Club 2,3; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2; Drama 4; GAA 1,2; FHA 1,2,3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4; VICA 4.

Keith A. Kelly
Art Club 1,2,3,4; Band 1; Boy's cheerblock 2,3,4; Choir 2,3,4; Drama Club 3,4; Football 1; History 4; North Star 4; Swing Choir 3,4; Thespian Society 3,4; Track 1; Sheryl L. Kelly
Band 1,2,3,4; FFA 3,4; FHA 1,2; Foreign Language Club 2,3,4; GAA 1,2; Library Club 1,2; Math & Science Club 4; National Honor Society 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Sue Kelly

Dave Kerner
Band 1,2,3,4; Bible Club 4; Drama 3,4; Honor Society 3,4; North Star 4; Quill and Scroll 3,4; Shield 2,3,4; Speech 2,3,4; Stage Band 3,4; Swing Choir 4; Thespians 3,4.

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Julie King

Band 1; Bible Club 4; Cheerblock 4; Drama Club 4; FHA 1,2,3,4; Foreign Language Club 1,2; GAA 1,2,3; History Club 4; Math & Science Club 4; North Star 3,4; Shield 3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Caroline Knezevich

Bible Club 4; Cheerblock 4; Drama Club 2,3,4; FHA 2,3,4; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3; History Club 4; Math & Science Club 4; National Honor Society 4; Norsettes 2,3,4; Shield 3,4; Speech 1; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Debbie K. Kochenour

Cheerblock 4; Drama Club 1,2,4; History Club 4; National Honor Society 4; Norsettes 4; Student Council 1,3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4.

Christopher L. Krom

Basketball 1; Band 1,2; Boy's Cheerblock 1,2,3; Cross Country 1,2,3,4; FCA 3; FFA 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 2,3,4; N-Club 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4.

Randy Lewis

Band 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Math and Science Club 1,2; North Star 4; Shield 3,4; Spanish 1,2,3; Speech 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Swing Choir 1,2,3,4.

Lori E. Linsburg

Band 1,2,3,4; Bible Club 3; Cheerblock 4; Drama 3; Norsettes 3,4; GAA 1,2,3; History Club 4; OEA 4; Shield 3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Jeff R. Luehn

Band 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 3,4; FCA 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3; Math & Science Club 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; N-Club 2,3,4; North Star 3,4; Shield 4; Stage Band 2,3,4; Track 3,4.

Greg Lundquist

Donna Martin

Art Club 2; FHA 2.

Melody McKelvey

Band 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Bible Club 2,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Evelyn J. McKinley

Band 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 4; Choir 4; Drama Club 3; GAA 1; History Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Kelly S. Merrick

Band 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Bible Club 3,4; Cheerblock 1,2; Cheerleader 1,3,4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; FCA 4; FHA 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; History Club 4; Math & Science Club 4; National Honor Society 4; North Star 3,4; N-Club 4; Quill and Scroll 3,4; Shield 3,4; Swing Choir 2; Track 1,2,3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4.

Julie King and Kris Shafer indulge in some punch in Home Ec. class.



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Patricia L. Meston
Cheerblock 2,3; Choir 2,3; DECA 4; Drama 3; GAA 2,3; History Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Ronald J. Metz
Baseball 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 3,4; FCA 3; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3; Golf 3,4; Math and Science Club 1,2,3,4; N-Club 1,2,3,4; North Star 4; Shield 4.

Sharon A. Metzger
Band 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3; National Honor Society 4; Norsettes 2,3,4; Speech 2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4.

Bill J. Miller
Jeff L. Miller

Boy's Cheerblock 3; Football 1; Intramural 2,3,4; VICA 4.

Pat C. Miracle
Cheerblock 3; Drama Club 3,4; FHA 3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4.

Ellen E. Mouser
Cheerblock 1,2,3; Chorus 1; Drama Club 4; FAA 1,2,3; Foreign Language Club 1,2; GAA 1,2,3; History Club 4; North Star 1,4; Shield 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4.

Debbie J. Niccum
Band 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Drama 2,4; FHA 1,2,3; Foreign Language Club 1,2; GAA 1,2; Stage Band 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3.

Sue E. Noel
Art Club 4; Cheerblock 1,2; VICA 3.

Kenneth E. Nordman
Boy's Cheerblock 3; VICA 3,4; Wrestling 1.
Dawn M. Norman
Art Club 1,2; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Chorus 2; FHA 1,2,3,4; GAA 1; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4; VICA 3.
Linda Norman
Cheerblock 1,2,4; FFA 2; FHA 1,2,4; GAA 1,2.

Steven L. Norman
Baseball 2,3; Basketball 1; FCA 4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 2,3,4; Math and Science Club 3,4; N-Club 2,3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Student Council 1,2,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 2,3,4.

Dollie A. Patton
Band 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,4; FHA 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2; History Club 4; Norsettes 2,3,4; OEA 4; Shield 3,4; Track 1,2,3; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3.

Jo Ellen Pefly
Band 1,2,3,4; Bible Club 4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,2,3,4; GAA 1; History 4; Math and Science Club 4; North Star 4; Shield 3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

So Long . . . Farewell . . . So Long . . .

Phyllis L. Plant

Basketball 2; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 4; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2; History Club 4; Math and Science Club 2,4; Norsettes 1,2,3,4; North Star 4; Shield 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Diana J. Preston

Drama Club 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,2,3,4; GAA 1; Library Club 1,2,3,4; OEA 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Shelly L. Renbarger

Band 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Bible Club 4; Cheerblock 1,4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3; History Club 4; Math & Science Club 4; National Honor Society 3,4; Shield 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 2,3.

Randy J. Richardson

Art Club 1,2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; Foreign Language Club 3,4; Math & Science Club 4; Track 1.

Amy S. Richer

Art Club 2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2; Drama 1,2,3,4; GAA 1; History Club 4; OEA 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Randy R. Robinson

Anita C. Scholes

Drama Club 3,4; FHA 1,2,4; Foreign Language Club 2; History Club 4; OEA 4.

Kathy K. Schultz

Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 3; FHA 1,2; Foreign Language Club 2,3; Math & Science Club 3; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4; VICA 4.

Kris K. Shafer

Cheerblock 1; Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2,3,4; FAA 1,2,3; GAA 1,2,3; North Star 4; Shield 1,2,3,4; Tri-Hi-Y.

Dwane Shepherd

Basketball 1,2,3; FFA 1,2,3.

Jean A. Shepherd

Judy Shepherd

Art Club 1,2; FHA 1,2,3,4.

Yoshiko Shigeta

Kevin E. Siders

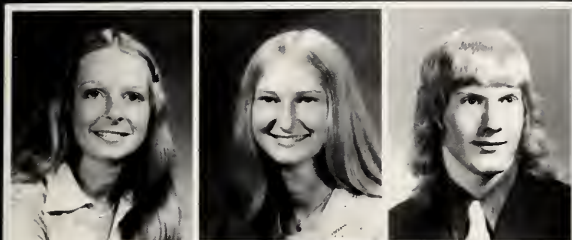
Boy's Cheerblock 2,3; FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1; VICA 3,4.

Mark A. Siders

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Bible Club 4; Drama Club 3,4; Foreign Language Club 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Math & Science Club 2,3,4; N-Club 2,3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; North Star 3; Track 1,2,3,4.



So Long ... Farewell ... So Long ...



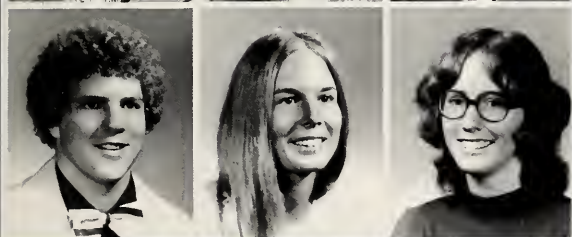
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Sharon K. Slifer
 Band 1,2,3; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,2,3,4; Foreign Language Club 2; History Club 4; National Honor Society 3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4; VICA 3,4.
Larry W. Smalley
 Art Club 1,2,3; Intramurals 1; VICA 3,4.



Laura J. Smalley
 Basketball 2; Cheerblock 3; GAA 2,3; History Club 4; National Honor Society 4; OEA 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4.
Kent L. Smith
 Choir 3; Foreign Language Club 1,2; Math & Science Club 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society
Lisa R. Smith



Les P. Snider
 Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 4; Drama 4; Foreign Language Club 3; Shield 4; Speech 4; Swing Choir 4;
Karla J. Steele
 Basketball 1,2,3; Cheerblock 1,3; GAA 2,3; History Club 4; OEA 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4; Volleyball 2,3,4.
Mitch L. Steele
 Art Club 1,2,3; Intramurals 2; VICA 4.



Joe R. Stieglitz
 Choir 3,4; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society 3,4.
Denise C. Swart
 Cheerblock 4; Drama Club 4; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3; History Club 4; Norsettes 1,2,3,4; North Star 4; Shield 3,4; Speech 4; Student Council 1,2,3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.
LuAnn K. Swihart
 Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; OEA 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.



Greg P. Thomas
Karen E. Tiede
 Band 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3; GAA 1,2,3; History Club 4; Math and Science Club 4; N-Club 4; National Honor Society 3,4; North Star 4; Track 1; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.
Joan K. Timberman
 Society 3,4; Shield 4.

We Came, We Saw, We Conquered!

Laura Urichel

Cheerblock 1; Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3; Math and Science Club 3; National Honor Society 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.

Maria Velez

Mark Vigor



Randy Wagner

Pam Waldon

Art Club 4; Bible Club 1,2; Cheerblock 1; FHA 1.

Jane Wascm

Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,2; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3; GAA 1,2; History Club 4; Norsettes 2,3,4; OEA 4; Shield 2,3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4.



Nancy S. Weesner

Cheerblock 2,3,4; FHA 1,2; OEA 4; Shield 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4.

Linda Winters

Drama Club 3; FHA 1; Foreign Language Club 2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4; VICA 4.

Brenda Working

Bible Club 4; Cheerblock 4; Drama Club 4; FHA 4; Foreign Language Club 1,2,3; Math and Science 4; North Star 4; Shield 4; Tri-Hi-Y.



Paul D. Yentes

Baseball 2,3,4; Basketball 1; Boy's Cheerblock 3,4; FCA 3; Intramurals 3,4; N-Club 4; National Honor Society 4.

Gerald Young

Art Club 3; Band 1,2; Boy's Cheerblock 3; FCA 3,4; Foreign Language 2; Intramurals 3,4; N-Club 2; Track 1,2.

Debbie Zinsmeister

Band 1,2,3,4; Cheerblock 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,2,3,4; Foreign Language Club 2; Stage Band 2,3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4; VICA 3.



Not Pictured: Pam Elzroth, Lonnie Baker, Seniors Debbie Brodbeck and Mark Siders have fun together in class.





Variety, the spice of life

Northfield had a taste of the international this year with three foreign exchange students. Yoshiko Shigeta is from Chiba, Japan. Spent the first part of the year with Gillespies and the second part with the Winns. She is a freshman at the University of Japan. She likes the school and the people. Maria Velez likes pumpkin pie! Maria is from Barranquilla, Columbia. She is staying with the Karns. She received the key to Wabash city, which was a

highlight of her stay. Adriana Moura stayed with the Smalleys while she was here. She is from San Paulo, Brazil. She made many friends at Northfield. She said she liked a favorite pastime of many students. "cruising".

1. Mr. Fushetto marvels over the native costumes of Yo-Yo and Maria. 2. Fingers fly as Maria Velez practices typing. 3. Yo-Yo broadens her vocabulary as she looks up words. 4. Adriana Moura from Brazil discovered "Cruising."

Juniors kept busy with rings and things

A very active time was in store for the Juniors this year. First, to the delight of everyone, class rings were distributed. Homecoming rolled around and efforts of the class were rewarded with a first place float, "We Declare a Victory." Missy Mast was chosen as the queen candidate. The Juniors chose as their flower, a carnation; class colors, rainbow; and a motto. The \$1,000 made from selling magazines was used to create and make the 13th annual prom, "Precious and Few." Not pictured: Jerry Chittick, Joe Flitercraft, Diana Harvey, Charles Neal, Greg Rice, Doug Schuster, Tom Vigar.

Junior Class officers: left to right, Debbie Warnock, Vice-president; Lori Knece, Secretary; Chris Sampson, President; Iris Tackett, Treasurer.



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Kevin Baur
Bob Baker
Dale Barlow
Mitch Beals
Greg Bell



Jack Bever
Melissa Bidwell
Mark Bowen
Bonnie Burnsworth
Kent Cammack
John Carpenter



Dan Carr
Jerry Cassidy
Tami Chamberlain
James Chowning
Tina Corn
Judy Crist



Nancy Dale
Dean Davenport
Doug Dawes
Jane Dawes
Scott Dawes
Ron Deeter



Cindy Derek
David DeVore
Cindy Dyeon
John Dyeon
Dan Eads
Tammy Elts





Robin Elrod
Brian Elzroth
Robert Floyd
Brian Ford
Gene Fox
Bryan Frehse

Dan Gillespie
Karen Glassburn
Bryan Griffith
Carl Guingrich
Beth Hall
Cary Hammett

Cheryl Hampton
Tammy Harrington
Mark Hauptert
Richard Hawkins
Karen Hefflin
Barry Hicks

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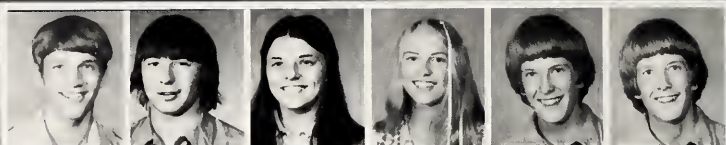
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Micky Strange
Rob Swan
Bobbi Swanson
Jolene Swope
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Rob Tarter
Jackie Thompson
Don Townsend
Bob Tieska
Terry Tully
Diane Unger



Sharon Vandermark
Amy Vrooman
Tim Wagers
Jeff Waldon
Debbie Warnock
Roy Warren



Faith Williams
Wanda Wilson



Becky Yocum
Cheri Yocum



Geraldine Young
Jeff Young





Choosing ring highlights year

The Class of '78 began the 75-76 school year by preparing for Homecoming. The Boston Tea Party was chosen to follow the bicentennial lines with the theme of "Throw 'em Over." Liz Reed and Tory Tyner were the queen and king candidates. On April 1st, the long awaited chance for ordering class rings arrived. After much contemplation the choices and orders were made. A class party was held on May 15, and was quite successful. There was an outside cookout and fun and games from 5:00 to 10:00. There was a touch of Womens' Lib in the class officers this year. Pres. Lori Beyer, V. Pres. Cheryl Huffman, Sec. Susan Joy, and Treas. Mary Working.



John Agee
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Barb Anderson
Brad Raber
Brenda Benson
Lori Beyer

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Kathy Breidbeck
Jay Busch
Chris Cammack
Becky Cartwright
Kurt Carver

Brett Chittick
Bob Clark
Tori Conrad
Ed Coots
Ruth Crist
Mike Culver

Tammy Dangerfield
Jenny Dexter
Katrina Dilling
Jeanne Draper
Frank Driscoll
Teresa Driscoll

Carol Dumphy
Don Dunphy
Kelly Dyan
Nancy Fitzroth
Charles Fawcett
Turney Fields

Lori Frahse
Scott Galley



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Cheri Hicks
Mark Hicks
Dan Hipsher
Cheryl Hollenback
Amy Honeycutt
Lisa Hoover



Cheryl Huffman
Tracy Johnson
Susan Joy
Sally Kline
Tony Krom
Sally Lane



Marti Long
Sherri Long
Mark Losher
Mark Lutz
Valerie Lyons
John Martin



Marceil McKinley
Teresa McKinney
Mike Metzger
Bob Metzger
Teresa Miracle
Debbie Myers



Teresa Neal
Lori Niccum
Ed Norman
Rick Oldenkamp
Beth Olmstead
Darcy Overman





Eric Overman
Noble Patton
Lynn Pefley
Polly Plant
Mander Prater
Tim Raver

Teresa Reahard
Liz Reed
Larry Rensberger
Kathy Rice
Michael Robinson
Randy Ross

Jeff Schaaf
Beth Schnepf
Dennis Schnepf
John Shepherd
Debbie Siders

Kyle Sinclair
Beverly Sparks
Terry Staggs
Kyle Steele
Diana Stein
Rick Stouffer

Brenda Terrel
Frank Tiede
Bruce Tomlinson
Linda Tully
Tory Turner
Lindy Unger

Perry Van Meter
Mark Wagner
Ray Weaver
Cindy White
Gina Wilson
Debbie Winters

Mary Working
Carla Yentes
Charles Ziner



Sitting in a circle in the hall,
some sophomores seem to be
amusing themselves.

Float sews up second place

The Freshmen really enjoyed their first year of high school. Joining the high school clubs and attending the Homecoming, Christmas, and Sweet-heart dances were part of the fun. The Freshmen football team was the second undefeated one in North-field's history. Their first float attempt was successful as they won second place with the title "Sew Up a Victory." Tammy Yentes and Nathan Vrooman were the queen and king candidates. A class party was held in the Spring. The class officers were president—Chris Denari, Vice-President—Duane Wilcox, Secretary—Todd Dawes, and Treasurer—Teresa Baer. Not pictured: Bill Dillon, Vince Floyd, Deb Hall, Jess Kellems, Mary McCafferty, Ken Rowe, John Steele.



Lalon Allen
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Jody Antrim
Robert Applegate
Rita Arrick
Teresa Baer

Mike Baker
Lisa Beals
Phil Bickhart
Jay Biehl
Terri Blanke
Debra Blanton

Carole Bonhoff
Tracy Bower
Carla Boyer
Chris Carpenter
Renee Chamberlain
Ruth Chowning

Blandy Clarkson
Ken Clupper
Georgianna Colgrove
Mark Cooper
Renee Crumrine
Brenda Daniel

Marcia Daugherty
John Davenport
Todd Dawes
Debbie Deeter
Chris Denari





Jeff De Yarmon
Carl Downey
Jeff Draper
Phil Draper
Leslie Driscoll
Tuesday Dyson

Don Eads
Lori Elliott
Roy Elliott
Gaye Faust
Ed Fitch
Fred Ford

Jason France
Jeff France
Ken Francis
Larry Gaston
Kathy Gautschi
Brook George

Amy Gill
Marie Green
Rod Grey
Randy Griffey
Jeff Grog
Dan Harrell

Francis Harrell
Delaine Harvey
Brent Hauptert
Brian Hauptert
Larry Hauptert
Barry Helvey

Tammy Helvey
Karen Hentgen
Sherri Herron
Terry Hewitt
Vicki Hite
Darlene Hively

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Anthony Holman
Christina Kasamis
Robbie Keaffaber
Debra Kelly
Lisa Kitchen

Bobby Kochenour
Rosalee Kramer
Terry Krom
Tamara Lawrence
Kevin Leisure
Fredrick Lundquist

Jody Magers
Chris Marks
David McKenzie
Tim McVoy
Greg Miller
Kenneth Monce

Ricky Monce
Rhonda Mowery
Cindy Palmer
Dorothy Parker
Helen Parker
Thomas Polk



Brian Reed
Michele Ridenour
Anne Risher
Tina Rogers
Andy Ross
Dave Samons



David Sausaman
Trent Schuler
Ricky SESCO
Randy Shafer
Steve Shafer
Tim Shoemaker



Deanne Slater
Camilla Slee
Jacquelin Slee
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Dareld Stanley
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Terree Swanson
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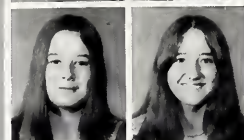
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Jeff Warnock
Martin Watts
Sherri Weesner
Duane Wilcox



Lisa Wilhelm
Larry Wilhelm
Roy Williams
Sheila Wilson
Ross Woodward
Bryan Wright



Lori Wright
Tammy Yentes



Leslie Young
Michael Ziner



Freshmen search for books
in their lockers while con-
versing with friends.



Class of '80 has good year

In their second year at Northfield and last year of Junior High, the eighth graders got along quite well. They participated in the Jr. High clubs, football and basketball. On April 30, 1976, a class party was held and it turned out very nicely. There were three sockhops this year, one after a football game and two after basketball games. Janet Christie was the winner of the Optimist Spelling Bee with James Coff as alternate. For the first time the girls had intramural basketball games. The class officers were: President—Ann Breedlove, Vice President—Tami Conrad, Secretary—Diane Swart, and Treasurer—Rex Biehl. Not pictured: Jody Lunquist and Laura Magers.

Eighth graders take a breather between classes.



David Agee
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Mike Buchanan
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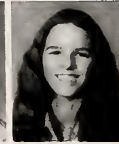
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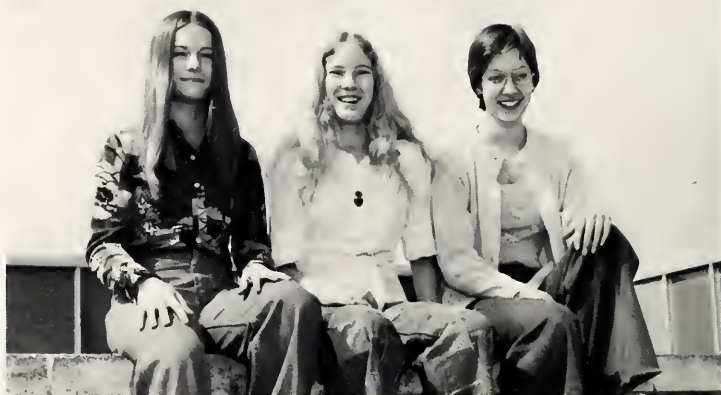


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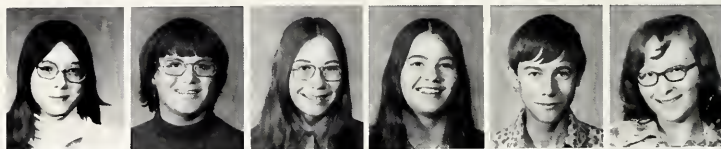


Gene Dangerfield
Dana Dawes
Tammy Deeter
Linda Deturk
Michael Devore
Kent Dilling

8th grade class officers: left to right, A. Breedlove—Pres., D. Swart—Sec., T. Conrad—V. Pres., not pictured R. Biehl—Treas.



Fayette Dillon
Shirley Dutton
Dawn Dyson
Janet Dyson
Jeffery Dyson
Dawn Edwards



Brenda Elrod
Bruce Eltzroth
Roger Engelman
Elizabeth Enser
Billy Faust
John Fearnow



Michele Ferrie
Rhonda Ford
Kathy Frieden
Diane Gautschi
Sheryl George
Marquita Getz



James Goff
Angela Good
Linda Green
Sueann Gressley
Lori Hantleman
David Harrell



Delane Harvey
Francis Herron
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Lori Hipsher
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Margie Howard
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Mark Judy
Vicky Kellems
Randy Kline

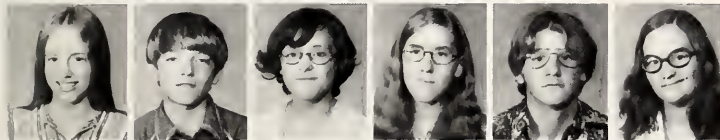




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Donald Kopis
Nancy Lane
Janice Lee
Ken Lindzy
Michele Lusher



Michelle Lucas
Brian Lyons
Lisa Martindale
Alan Meade
Mariann Myer
Diane Miller



Julie Minniewar
Jeff Mowery
Melinda Neal
Beth Newcomer
Hayes Newsome
Rhonda Niverson



Troy Odell
Ricky Ogan
Dorothy Owen
Rita Patton
Marvin Phillips
Patty Plant



Wesena Powell
Vanessa Prater
Cambi Rensberger
George Rice
Susan Rice
Melvin Richardson



Scott Richardson
Susan Ruley
Susan Schenkel
David Schuler
Walter Schultz
Denny Seeley



David Singer
Derhonda Smedley
Myra Snavey
Danny Sperling
Tammy Staggs
Julia Stein



Diane Swart
Shirley Swihart
Kathryn Tiede
Gary Trump
Dawn Wagner
Douglas Warford



Bruce Watson
Nora Yentes
James West
Jeffery Williams
Tari Wilson
Tracy Yocum

First year full of finds & fun!

The beginning of the seventh grader's year was a bit frightening, but they adjusted quickly. They immediately participated in sports. The football and basketball teams had good seasons. Two sockhops were held during the year and a class party in the Spring. Girl's intramural basketball teams were initiated this year. Once again Jr. High clubs were enjoyed and participated in by the seventh grade. The class officers were: President—Tom Denari, Vice President—Lori Sweet, Secretary—Cheryl Palmer, and Treasurer—Julie Rees. Not pictured: Kelly Bricker, Walter Deal, David Griffey, James Harding, James Howard, John Howard, Michelle McCafferty, Tim Reiken.

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Michelle Alexander
Lisa Allen



Brian Allman
Belinda Applegate
David Ault



Rodney Azbell
Linda Beals
Teresa Bessette



Jean Bidwell
Betty Bolin
Tony Bower



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Regina Buchanan
Babett Butzin
Ron Cameron
Darla Carr
Marla Carr



Annette Carter
Cindy Carver
John Chowning
Amy Clark
Varnell Clay
Theresa Clifton



Jeffery Cooper
Jamey Crist
Paula Daniel
Kim Daniels
Bradley Davis
Ken Dawes



Cathy Deeter
Betsy Deeter
Tom Denari
Jackie Dock
Jennifer Draper
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Lisa Elliot
Roger Elzroth
Jane Fitch
Bob Flott
Melissa Forrester
Kathy Foster





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Brad Frieden
Delana Gamsby
Danny Green
Michele Grey
Ricky Griffey



Lynn Guttrich
Tammy Hampton
Tina Harrel
Larry Harris
Teresa Hashberger
Bobbi Higglely



Scott Hipsher
Sid Hively
Larry Honeycutt
Dixie Hoover
Bobby Houlihan
Sheryl Hunt



Johnny Johnson
Becky Joy
Lance Judy
Scott Kaufman
Kyle Kelly
Angie King



Stanley Kirtlan
Linda Kitchen
Todd Kline
Doug Kopis
Rita Kramer
Todd Krom



Jeff Lawrence
Rita Leslie
Tara Lindzy
Cindy Long
Lori Long
Sue Long



Keith McKee
Amy McKillip
Tony McKinney
Chris McLean
Trisha Metz
Danny Metzger



Debbie Miller
Cary Miller
Michelle Miller
William Miller
Elvin Miracle
Dene Moore



William Muncy
David Nelson
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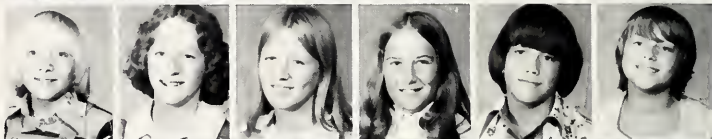
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Tracy Shambaugh
Mary Shaw
Delinda Shepherd
Teri Simpson
Eric Sinclair
Renata Slisher



Scott Smith
Sharon Smith
Steffany Smith
Carrie Snyder
Jeff Southworth
Pama Staton



Nicole Stefanatos
Jamie Stevens
Jody Stevens
Ernest Swafford
Lori Sweet
Tom Thompson



Julianne Tiede
Rick Treska
Daniel Vandermark
Scott Vanmeter
Debra Watkins
Michelle Watson



Larry Weitzel
David Williams
Toni Wilson
Marcia Winters
Christopher Winterroad
Paul Woodward



Clinton Wrisk
Lance Wrisk
Tony Wuensch
Nancy Yentes





Administration accents office

1. Dealing with students, making decisions, dictating letters, scheduling convos and other various appointments are just a few of the jobs that Principal Mr. Griffith does. 2. Miss Hunter, a secretary, gets advice from a pro at keeping attendance, Mrs. Gorsuch. 3. The Vice-principal, Mr. Wood, does some paperwork after doing various jobs around the school. 4. Mrs. Merrick, the bookkeeper, and Mrs. Harris, the secretary, run a very efficient office. 5. As new Athletic Director, Mr. Neale is kept quite busy.





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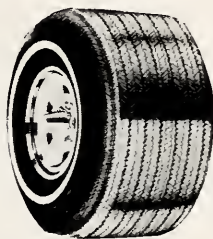
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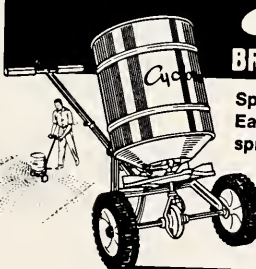


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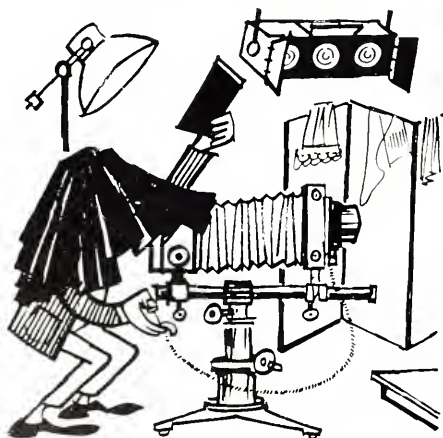
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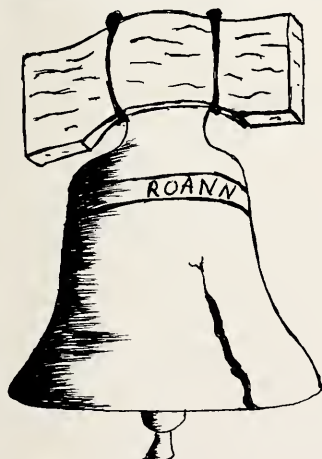


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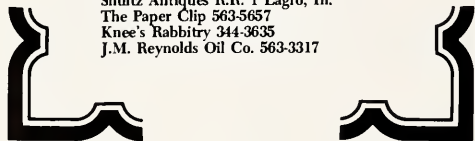
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"If a man does not keep pace with his companions, perhaps it is because he hears a different drummer. Let him step to the music he hears, however measured or far away."

(Thoreau)



Laughter and tears are a part of our everyday lives. Each day is significant to every individual for one reason or another. The days pass quickly into another year and a different phase of our lives is entered. Through the year we develop understanding of some things and question others. Good times with friends become memories to be treasured. Moments and friends come and go and each person changes, but it is essential for one to develop oneself as an individual. Individuality is a thing to

be proud of. This bicentennial year puts emphasis on the achievements of our forefathers and accomplishments made over two hundred years. Each who accomplished is a separate entity which forms a whole. As one finishes going through the yearbook he will have seen many faces and situations. Moments captured and feelings once again stirred. We all need each other but search for your "different drummer" and strive to achieve your goal.





Question— What did we do to deserve this?

From our statement above one may get the impression we did not enjoy doing the yearbook. They are only partly right, we enjoyed it but like everything it had it's ups and downs. Some "up" times were: at I.U. yearbook camp with cookie dough, parties, card games, & mass crowds in the Shield room; Mrs. Kitt's heart attack over the smashed mouse; wills & letters (Bertha); and spilled pop over everything. Down times were: the rush to meet deadlines because creative juices wouldn't flow 'till the last minute; Mr. Glaze's conventionalism; people crabbing about their pictures. Thanks to Mr. Working for the complementary pictures, Debbie B., Beth O., Jeff L., Dave K., Jim B., Kent S., Randy L., and Mrs. Kitt for a helping hand now and then. And to Cindy, Cindy, and Debbie—don't say we didn't warn you! Love, Caroline & Shelly



